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LEAGUE ASSEMBLY SESSION CALLED ON FAR EAST

Airman Searches Northern B.C. For Two Fliers Hunt For Graham Plane Is Started From Atlin Base

Pilot Instructed to Survey the Nahlin Region in Effort to Find Mrs. Christofferson and Pilot William Graham

TWO WERE BOUND FOR ALASKA COAST

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 19.—Pilot S. E. McMillan, flying a Canadian Airways machine stationed at Atlin, was instructed to-day to commence a search immediately weather conditions would permit for Pilot William Graham and Mrs. Edna Christofferson, missing since last Monday when they left Hazelton for Atlin en route to Alaska.

ON SALVAGE FLIGHT

Pilot Graham and Mrs. Christofferson were en route to the Arctic, intending to salvage the fur cargo aboard the ill-fated vessel Baychimo, abandoned in the ice west of Point Barrow. They prepared their plane in Seattle and flew from Orville, Wash., by easy stages to Hazelton. From Atlin they intended to cross the Yukon to Dawson, and then out to the coast.

New U.S. Plan For Liquor Imports

Associated Press
Washington, Feb. 19.—Secretary Mills of the Treasury Department has recommended to the Senate enactment of a measure passed by the House of Representatives, New York, which would permit importation of brandy and other spirits for non-beverage purposes on official certification the supply in this country was insufficient.

Valerists Lead By Small Margin In Irish Count

CONVICTION IN RELIEF CASE

Serious Offence to Get Help
By False Statements, Says
Magistrate

The first prosecution for fraudulently obtaining relief from the city was recorded in City Police Court this morning when A. E. Cookman was given suspended sentence for an offence this month. The magistrate said he had taken into account the fact that the case was the first of its kind here. It was apparent the accused did not realize its serious nature and he hoped the prosecution would be an object lesson to others who might have the same idea.

Mr. Cookman, according to witnesses from the relief office, had signed a declaration to the effect that his wife and daughter were at home, dependent upon him. It was afterwards discovered both his wife and daughter were in the Old Country. In the meantime Mr. Cookman had drawn \$8.52 in groceries and fuel. The items were composed of: February 2, groceries \$3.50, meat 50 cents, bread 70 cents, milk 40 cents, fuel \$2.50. February 9, bread 70 cents, milk 40 cents. These were returned for a family of three, and Mr. Cookman was not entitled to them. It was stated.

ONE MAN FOR LIQUOR BOARD

Government Announces Plan to Reduce It From Three Members

W. F. Kennedy Reported Slated For Job When Change Is Effected

Official confirmation of the forecast that the B.C. Liquor Board would be cut down to one man was contained in a government announcement yesterday. It has been intimated two members of the board would be eliminated. W. F. Kennedy, it is unofficially reported, will be the new chairman of the board.

The announcement of the change from a three-man board to a one man board made yesterday comes after considerable criticism of the \$30,000 organization from many quarters. Issued through Premier Tolmie after consultation with Attorney-General Pooley, it reads:

"The government, on taking office, decided that a reorganization of the Liquor Control Board was desirable. After studying the Ontario three-man system we concluded to give it a trial. This was done with very satisfactory results and a very substantial saving made in many branches of the liquor administration. The board has rendered excellent service and has faced the many difficult problems confronting it in a clean-cut, businesslike manner, with the result that under the new system large savings were made."

"When the board was created it was realized that to bring about desirable changes it was necessary to secure the best talent and salaries commensurate with the positions were paid. All that was expected of the reorganization has been accomplished. Many of the obstacles which were confronted at first are now overcome. The administration is running well."

"Under these circumstances, and on account of the pressing financial situation, it is felt that a reduction in the personnel of the board is in order. Legislation with this end in view will be introduced at this session and will be put into effect shortly."

SLATED FOR LONE LIQUOR BOARD JOB



W. F. KENNEDY
Former Conservative whip who, reports say, may be the single Liquor Control Board commissioner under the government's plan to cut board from three to one.

COMMUNISTS' APPEAL FAILS

Ontario Appeal Court Confirms Unlawful Assembly Sentences of Eight

Should Not Have Been Charged With Seditious Conspiracy, Say Judges

Canadian Press
Toronto, Feb. 19.—The Communist Party of Canada is an unlawful organization, this was the ruling of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of Ontario to-day in dismissing the appeal of eight members of the party from their conviction and sentences on charges of being and acting as members of an unlawful association. A third count against the men—that of seditious conspiracy—was found "bad" by the court.

There will be no interference with the sentences of the eight men in actual time, for seven of them were sentenced to five years on the first two counts and two years on the third, while the eighth was sentenced to two and one years. Since the terms were concurrent, they will have to serve the full time in prison.

The men are Tim Buck, Tom Ewen, John Boychuk, Amos T. Hill, Malcolm L. Bruce, Samuel Cohen, Matthew Popovitch and Thomas Cacic. All except Cacic were sentenced to five and two years, while he was given a two and one-year term of imprisonment. All except Bruce, a native of Prince Edward Island, will be deported at the expiration of their sentences.

COURTROOM CROWDED

Following their conviction by Mr. Justice W. H. Wright last November, the men appealed to the Appellate Division. (Concluded on Page 9)

MANY DRAW OUT SAVINGS

Crowds Take Cash Before
Manitoba Bank Offices in
Winnipeg Closed

Canadian Press
Winnipeg, Feb. 19.—A steady stream of persons withdrawing their accounts this afternoon filled into the two Winnipeg offices of the provincial savings bank, slated for closing. There were no disorders.

Mrs. Collins Driscoll, a sister of the late Michael Collins, Republican, who was assassinated and killed in 1922, was elected in Dublin City north on the twelfth count. She was the only woman candidate.

COMMUNISTS OVERWHELMED
Two Communist candidates were defeated in Dublin. Joseph Troy and James Larkin Jr., polling so few votes they lost their deposits.

Completion of the count in the 145 seats where polling took place on Tuesday was not expected before to-morrow evening, and possibly later. Seven other constituencies will not vote until March 3, the polling in Leitrim having been postponed on account of the killing of a government candidate and a detective.

"Whatever the final result, the task before all parties is to endeavor to promote the common welfare of their country," declared President Cosgrave.

"The new government will have a heavy task and the country requires it receive the utmost co-operation of every citizen."

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TRADE HEARINGS SOON AT OTTAWA

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 19.—A public hearing by the Commons committee on the trade and commerce bill will be held March 3. This was announced by Hon. C. H. Cahan, Secretary of State, to-day. Many interests would be affected by the bill and an opportunity would be given representatives of those interests to submit their views to the committee, he said.

DANGER ZONES ARE EVACUATED

Shanghai, Feb. 19.—Edwin S. Cunningham, United States consul general here, to-day issued a statement urging all United States citizens in the danger zones, especially women and children, to evacuate these areas either this afternoon or to-morrow morning.

Liberals' Offer Ends Prolonged Debate In House

Opposition Leader Provides Opportunity to Plunge Right Into Business

Premier Tolmie's Acceptance Scheduled To-day After Yesterday's Refusal

Debate in the B.C. Legislature on the Speech from the Throne, which sometimes lasts as long as two weeks, may end this afternoon as the result of an offer made by T. D. Pattullo, Leader of the Opposition, in the House yesterday. The offer was declined by Premier Tolmie at the time it was made, but overnight consideration and caucus brought about a change of heart.

TENSION IN HOUSE

There was tension in the House yesterday afternoon when the lengthy speech-making fest hung in the air. After Dr. R. W. Alward, Port George, and Capt. MacGregor Mackintosh, the Islands, had moved and seconded respectively the usual motion thanking His Honor for his speech, Mr. Pattullo rose, voluntarily sacrificed his own right to speak, and promised for the Liberal members there would be no more speeches on the Speech from the Throne unless the government insisted on putting up speakers. Liberals were prepared to let the motion pass forthwith and get on with business.

The Opposition Leader was brief and plain in his offer to immediately end the speech-making. With the remark: "Blessed is he that expecteth nothing, for he shall not be disappointed," he dismissed the Throne Speech, remarking there was nothing in it and nothing was looked for. He was prepared to offer, for the Liberal members, to end the discussion on it immediately and pass the resolution forthwith. If the government had some proposals to bring on let it bring them on. The Opposition was eager to get on with the business of the country. They had a lot of matters they thought needed consideration and matters to lay before the government which they might not be so eager to consider.

OVERNIGHT CHANGE

Members awaited with interest the answer of Premier Tolmie which would decide whether speeches for the next ten days or so from every member who cared to talk, virtually any topic he chose would be the order, or whether the debate would end immediately.

"I beg leave to adjourn the debate," said Premier Tolmie, settling the question for the time being so that he would speak the next day and the way be left open for other speakers to follow.

A change of heart overnight left the situation where Premier Tolmie was scheduled to agree, as soon as the House opened this afternoon, to immediately closing of the debate on the speech.

TWO DIE IN FIRE IN HOTEL

Elderly Men, Hard of Hearing, Lose Lives in Blaze in Revelstoke

Union Hotel and Contents, Destroyed, Were Valued at Approximately \$30,000

Canadian Press
Revelstoke, Feb. 19.—Two lives were lost in a fire which broke out at 4 o'clock this morning and completely destroyed the Union Hotel, a three-story frame building in the heart of the business section of Revelstoke.

The victims were C. Moorwood, farmer of Arrowhead, and Pete Defoe, an old-timer of this district who had made his home in the Union Hotel for many years. Mr. Defoe is believed to have been overcome in a corridor while heading for a fire escape, while Mr. Moorwood was not seen after the fire had broken out. Both men were elderly and partly deaf. The remains were found in the ruins.

The hotel belonged to the Calgary Breeding and Mailing Company, Calgary, and was under lease to W. E. Smith of this city. The building and contents were said to be worth approximately \$30,000.

OTHER BUILDINGS DAMAGED

The fire, which spread rapidly at one time threatened to destroy two other buildings in the same block, the Parisian beauty parlor and Glaser's meat market. The remnants of the hotel were still smoldering hours after the outbreak, but the meat market had escaped great damage and damage to the beauty parlor was largely caused by smoke and water.

PAINLEVE LINES UP NEW CABINET

Canadian Press
Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 19.—Joseph Paul-Boncour, who heads the remnant of the French delegation at the World Disarmament Conference, had accepted "in principle" the Foreign Ministry portfolio in a projected Paul Painlevé cabinet, it was announced to-day.

GENEVA DELEGATE

Paris, Feb. 19.—It was announced to-day that former War Minister Andre Tardieu had agreed to accept the post of Minister of the Saturday Magazine in order to return to Geneva as head of the French disarmament delegation.

TWO SLAIN IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 19.—The bodies of two unidentified men, both shot to death, were found to-day in a parked automobile on West 114th Street here.

Powers Are Summoned To Geneva As Shanghai Battle Hour Stated Approaching

League Council Calls Special Session of Assembly to Deal With Dispute in Orient; Chinese Government Refuses to Order Troops to Retire Twelve and One-half Miles From Shanghai Unless Japanese Army Retires Equal Distance; Rejects Japanese Demand For Disarmament; Members of Japanese Cabinet Reported to Have Agreed to do Their Best to Prevent Events Leading to Declaration of War

Canadian Press and Associated Press Dispatches

Nanking, China, Feb. 19.—Wang Ching-wei, Chinese Premier, to-night said the government had rejected the Japanese demand that the army at Shanghai retire to a point twelve and one-half miles from the city.

The army would withdraw, he said, only on condition that the Japanese also would retire an equal distance.

Wang Ching-wei's reply was a five-point proposal.

First, he said, the proposal for withdrawal of both Chinese and Japanese troops was acceptable, but the withdrawal of the Chinese only was a demand the National Government found it impossible to accept.

Second, he promised anti-Japanese activities would be dealt with according to the law, pointing out freedom of speech and the press was guaranteed by law and could not be interfered with.

Third, he insisted any proposal for dismantling of national defenses was unacceptable. He was referring to the Japanese demand that the forts at Poshan and Woosung be razed.

Fourth, in the ordinary course of events the Chinese government did not station troops in the Shanghai area, he said, adding that when normal conditions were restored the area would continue to be patrolled by Chinese police.

Fifth, the demand that Japanese airplanes should watch the withdrawal of the Chinese was declared unacceptable. Wang said investigators of such matters must be third-party neutrals, not Japanese.

DIRECTING SHANGHAI ARMY, SAYS REPORT

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Canadian Press and Associated Press Dispatches

Geneva, Feb. 19.—The League of Nations Council decided to-night to call an extraordinary session of the full League Assembly to consider the situation in the Far East.

The Council met primarily to consider China's request for a session of the Assembly.

Dr. W. W. Yen, Chinese delegate, reviewed the situation in China up to now and asserted there existed at present a state of open war in which Japan was taking the offensive.

"We are on the eve of a battle in which 100,000 men will participate," he said. "The situation is simply intolerable."

He indicated China would not accept the ultimatum delivered yesterday at Shanghai by the Japanese commander.

HEARD COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 19.—The Japanese legal objection to the demand for a meeting of the League of Nations Assembly to consider the Far Eastern dispute was held invalid to-day by the twelve neutral members of the Council.

Sharp tension developed at the meeting of the neutral twelve, which was preliminary to a meeting of the whole Council.

The decision came after a report had been made on the Japanese objection by a jurists' committee.

Reports were then circulated that Dr. W. W. Yen, Chinese delegate, was prepared to protest to the whole Council against the creation of the independent Manchurian state, announced yesterday at Mukden.

PU-YI HEADS MANCHURIA

Japanese Dispatches Say
Chinese Ex-Boy Emperor
"Genshu" of New State

Associated Press
Tokyo, Feb. 19.—The correspondent of the newspaper Asahi at Mukden, Manchuria, to-day said the executive committee of the new Manchurian state had unanimously chosen Henry Pu-Yi, former "boy emperor" of China, as the chief executive of the new state which was launched by proclamation yesterday.

A dispatch to the Rengo news agency said the committee proposed to call the office of the head of the new state "Genshu," which may be translated either as "sovereign" or "chief executive."

Other Mukden correspondents also reported the selection of the former boy emperor. Their dispatches, accompanied by pictures of Mr. Pu-Yi, were printed in afternoon papers to-day, the first time the Japanese have permitted the name of this mysterious high personage to appear, although newspapers have known for many weeks he probably was slated to head the new state.

LEFT IN DOUBT

The term "Genshu" reported to have been given him, left it doubtful whether he was to be a monarch or a president. Reports reaching official quarters here said he had refused to assume the office unless he was made king or emperor, insisting on a restoration of at least a portion of the former glory of the Manchu dynasty and the "dragon throne."

"Thus far," he added, significantly, "we see no sign of a Chinese withdrawal."

SHELLS FIRED OVER SHANGHAI

Chinese Guns Boom Tatoo
and Big Fight With Japanese
Believed Imminent

By Morris J. Harris, Associated Press
Shanghai, Feb. 19.—Chinese guns boomed a heavy tattoo over nerve-wracked Shanghai to-day that was looked on as an awesome prelude to the most world-shaking battle since the bugles blew peace in 1918 at the close of the Great War.

The Japanese said three of their blue-jackets had been killed during the bombardment. Under its cover the two armies made hasty but elaborate preparations for the expected Japanese attack to-morrow, when their ultimatum will expire.

Beginning of the Japanese offensive to-morrow was considered made virtually certain this afternoon when Lieut.-General Uyeda said that unless the Chinese had withdrawn from their front-line positions at Chapel, Kiangwan and Woosung by 7 a.m. (8 o'clock this afternoon Victoria time) "the Japanese will take independent action."

"Thus far," he added, significantly, "we see no sign of a Chinese withdrawal."

SHELLS OVER FLAGSHIP

The bombardment was interpreted by the Japanese army officers as a gesture of defiance. They said the Chinese guns had hurled shells over the Japanese Consulate and the flagship Idzumi in the river.

The only effect the Japanese ultimatum seemed to have had on the Chinese soldiers was to increase their hilarity and good nature and to speed up their programme of strengthening their defenses and increasing the number of sentries along the road.

U.S. TROOPS ON DUTY
Four hundred infantrymen, members of the 31st United States Infantry from Manila, took over the defence lines along a mile frontage in the International Settlement during the afternoon.

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FIGHT ON OVER SURVEY REPORT

Opposition Leader Renews Demand For Northern B.C. Data

Storm Brews Over Premier's Unsatisfactory Answer to Request

The evident dissatisfaction with which T. D. Pattullo, Leader of the Opposition, yesterday received Premier Tolmie's answer in the Legislature to his demand for a survey of resources in northern British Columbia made by the provincial government, the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway, Mr. Pattullo staged a keen battle for the production of this report at the last session, claiming that as any reference to the possibilities of a Coast outlet from the Peace River, anything regarding the future of the P.G.E. railway and information on the resources of British Columbia were matters of vital public importance the information should be made public. He vigorously attacked the government on several occasions for refusing to make the reports public.

Premier Tolmie gave a familiar answer yesterday when he stated the matter would receive consideration, and Mr. Pattullo pointedly intimated he would have a lot more to say about the matter.

BIG DIAMOND MINE TO CLOSE

Capetown, Union of South Africa, Feb. 19.—According to an official announcement to-day, the Premier Diamond Mine, where the great Cullinan Diamond was found in 1905, will be closed March 31.

This announcement followed yesterday's news that the De Beers Mine would be closed because of the "very serious condition" of the diamond trade.

The Cullinan stone, largest diamond in the world, weighed more than 3,000 carats, or more than a pound and a half avoirdupois, before it was cut.

STOCKS RISE QUICKLY AT NEW YORK AND MEET SETBACK

Associated Press
New York, Feb. 19.—A swiftly moving rally advance in stocks was largely canceled by subsequent profit-taking to-day.

Opening gains of \$1 to \$7, made while shorts were stampeding to cover on news of the Stock Exchange's rule affecting borrowed shares, brought a flood of profit-taking. The market withstood such sales until the last half hour, when pressure became more pronounced and what was left of the rally dwindled rapidly.

Some stocks closed lower, but on the whole the market finished irregularly higher. Transactions approximated 2,500,000 shares.

Numerous net changes were fractional. U.S. Steel closed at \$50.18, against a high of \$52.62. American Telephone which had risen to \$137.75, finished at \$133, or 35 cents lower.

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TEA—Malik's, Blue Ribbon or Jameson's. A lb. 42c; 3 lbs. \$1.24

COFFEE—Fresh ground. A lb. 25c; 3 lbs. 72c

Clark's Soup, 3 tins

25c

Libby's Pork and Beans, 3 tins

25c

Brooms, made by the blind

25c

Streaky Bacon, sliced, lb.

17c

Mild Cured Cottage Roll. A lb.

17c

Picnic Ham, A lb.

12c

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SUPER SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY—Cash and Carry

Meat	Price	Meat	Price	Meat	Price
Roast Beef, per lb.	22c	Legs, lb.	15c	Legs, half or whole	25c
T-bone Roasts, lb.	22c	Loins, lb.	15c	Loins, lb.	22c
Rump Roasts, per lb.	17c	Butts, lb.	12c	Shoulders, lb.	15c
Roast Ribs, per lb.	18c	Shoulders, lb.	10c	Loin Lamb Chops, lb.	35c
Pot Roasts, per lb.	10c	Loin Pork Chops, lb.	17c	Rib Lamb Chops, lb.	25c
Honeycomb Stew Beef, per lb.	10c	Pork Steaks, per lb.	12c	Lamb's Liver, per lb.	20c
Lean Minced Beef, per lb.	10c	Pork Liver, per lb.	8c	Lamb's Heart, per lb.	10c

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PLEADS CAUSE OF POULTRYMEN

Islands Member Says High Freight Charges Forcing Farmers Out

Claims Government Facing Problem of Unemployment Fairly

Fifteen minutes sufficed Capt. MacGregor Macintosh, Conservative, Islands, yesterday to second the motion on the Speech from the Throne, compliment the government on its handling of the unemployment problem and speak of the prospects for more lumber business with Australia, and plead for the freight burdened poultry industry.

The Island member who followed Dr. H. W. Alward, Port George, who spoke for fifty-five minutes, said he had noted a newspaper editorial suggesting lengthy speeches on the Speech from the Throne were a waste of time. He had kept his own speech within twenty minutes. It was a dramatic climax, however, to the member's speech when Premier Thomas rejected the offer of T. D. Pastullo, the leader of the Opposition, to make the captain's speech the last, and so paved the way in continuing the speech-making himself.

Capt. Macintosh saw rays of hope in the unemployment situation, and in this connection saw satisfactory results from the lumber mission to Australia.

POULTRY FEED COSTS

He presented the freight problems of poultrymen, particularly of Vancouver Island. The time had come, he said, when the grocery transportation companies of Canada should be prevented from building up this business at the expense of the taxpayers of this province. He declared the high freight on grain, rising feed costs and dropping egg prices were forcing poultry farmers into the class of unemployed.

A poultryman in the Fraser Valley wanted to import a sack of feed from Calgary or Edmonton must pay the Canadian railway forty-one cents. A poultryman in Japan who wanted to import a sack from the same place must pay the railway only twenty cents. And the result is that the Canadian poultryman, a big factor in the business life of this province, was penalized to help his Japanese competitor in world markets.

He gave the government credit for fairness in handling the problem of unemployment, and suggested criticism of the government's methods had not been disinterested. Figures showed that as much money as possible was being paid in wages in a fair and equitable manner. He believed had the government not established the camps for unemployed persons, disturbances would have broken out. He complimented those in camps and elsewhere for the admirable spirit evinced during this trying time.

NEW TAX APPROVED

Quebec, Feb. 19.—The corporation tax, under the terms of which each company or corporation in the province will pay to the government 1 1/2 per cent of its profits, was adopted in the Quebec Legislature yesterday evening.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All grocery stores and ten rooms other than Stevenson's advertising or offering for sale Punjab Orange Palace Tea will be prosecuted, East India Tea Company.

All home-grown "Swiss chard," "Essex greens," artichokes, turnips, parsnips, live rabbits, honey, Gull's, stall 75, Public Market.

Before you visit the Public Market, Broad and Cormorant Street, see Public Market Specials, Classified Page.

Bridge Prizes—Clearing prices 25c and up. McMartin's Leather Goods, 718 Yates Street.

Delicious—Chocolate nut and maple fudge. Jean Fraley, 608 View Street.

David Spencer Choir Concert, in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Guest artist, Margaret Fewster, operatic contralto. Shrine Auditorium, Friday, February 19, at 8:15. Tickets 50c.

Lecture on Music—Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie, auspices Juvenile Branch Music Art Society, Shrine Auditorium, February 20, 2:30 p.m.

Morning Special at Tyrrell's Hairdressing Parlor at David Spencer, Ltd., 9 till 10, without appointment. Marcel or finger wave, 50c; with shampoo, 75c; permanent wave, \$3.75. All experienced operators.

National Council of Education—At Memorial Hall, Tuesday, February 23, 8:15 o'clock. Abdullah Yusuf Ali, C.B.E., M.A. (Cantab.) on "Moslem India." Brilliant scholar and speaker. General admission 25 cents; three front rows, 50 cents.

Pulsley Cleaners and Dyers. We call and deliver. Phone G 3794.

Tea Dance, auspices Junior Musical Art Society, 907 Moss Street, February 20, 4-7. Price 35c.

The Nutshell, 617 Fort—Meals from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. The best market affords at reasonable prices.

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Unpaid Bills Hit Merchants of B.C.

Government's Delinquency Is Bringing Bankruptcy Member Claims

MacPherson Motion Calling For Immediate Consideration Fails in House

On a vote of the House when the matter was referred to it by Mr. Speaker Davis, the Legislature yesterday ruled that a motion of P. M. MacPherson, Liberal, Cranbrook, claiming general merchants throughout the province were threatened with bankruptcy because of unpaid bills was not of sufficient urgency to warrant an adjournment for consideration.

Mr. MacPherson's motion specified the matter was one of urgent public importance and the House should adjourn to discuss it. Mr. Speaker Davis said he was prepared to rule the motion was not one of sufficient urgency to warrant an adjournment, but preferred to leave it to the House. An unrecorded vote threw out the motion which will probably go on the order papers later.

DEPRIVED OF NEEDED CAPITAL

The motion reads: "The bankruptcy and threatened bankruptcy of general merchants throughout the province by reason of the failure of the government to pay its mercantile accounts for goods and merchandise sold and delivered to the government upon the order or requisition of its officials, which said accounts have now been owing and past due for periods of from three to five months and vary in amount from a few hundred dollars to several thousands. The failure of the government to pay the said accounts having in many instances and at points throughout the whole of the province deprived the merchants of the requisite capital to carry on and forced them either into bankruptcy or into such a position that unless the accounts are paid they will be compelled to go into liquidation within a few days."

SPENCER CHOIR SINGS FRIDAY

Leading Artists to Assist at Recital at Shrine Hall

The David Spencer Choir will present its annual concert at the Shrine Auditorium this evening at 8:15 o'clock. The proceeds to augment the funds of the Victorian Order of Nurses.

Among the soloists is Harry Nanor, tenor who is giving a group of songs, a member of the Victoria Male Choir, as well as the David Spencer Choir. A pleasing singer, who was soloist from 1919 to 1923 in the Abbey Road Baptist Church, London, England.

Mildwyn Humphreys, baritone, gold medalist in Victoria and Vancouver festivals, will include a Welsh number, "O Na byddain haf o hyd," in his songs.

Margaret Fewster, contralto, Maile Dismore, soprano, and Gwendoline Harper, pianiste, will also assist the choir in its very fine programme.

COWICHAN SCOTS HEAR J. G. BROWN

Duncan, Feb. 19.—The Cowichan Caledonian Society held their monthly entertainment on Wednesday evening in the K. of P. Hall, which was crowded to the doors. J. G. Brown, of Victoria, gave a travelogue entitled "Across Canada," the Atlantic, To and Through Scotland," illustrated with over 250 colored views. A. S. Huxtable operated the picture projector. Mrs. Beasley and Robert Morrison rendered several Scottish songs and dancing followed the lecture.

Garden City

The W.A. of Garden City United Church held a well-attended Valentine tea in the church on Tuesday afternoon and made arrangements to hold a St. Patrick supper. The programme included solos by Jean Scott, Mrs. Stanley Eden, Mrs. Holden and Miss L. Reid; a duet by Mrs. S. Eden and Mrs. P. Tuppah, and recitations by Mrs. P. Tuppah and Mrs. Scott. Miss Elsie Fryatt and Mrs. Eden were accompanists.

Mrs. Laird of Lacombe, Alta., with her three children are guests of her mother, Mrs. Bleaslin, Tulip Avenue.

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people of the province had registered for help. Development of the natural resources, he believed, was the only direction in which to look for a permanent solution.

Recent statements of the transcontinental railway companies had placed the problem of a Peace River outlet directly up to the government of British Columbia, the speaker declared. He had no information on the stage negotiations for the Pacific Great Eastern railway had reached but he would emphasize that never was the matter of a Coast outlet for the Pacific Great Eastern of more importance to the whole of British Columbia than at the present time.

"I think it would be advisable for the British Columbia government to leave no stone unturned to see that the Peace River outlet is constructed and as conditions are at the present time it seems as if it will have to be constructed by private capital," said the speaker.

He thought the government might well be advised to make terms which might seem over-generous in the way of land grants to secure the construction of this outlet.

Development of the tourist business was also advocated by the speaker.

COMPETITION IN COMMERCIAL ART

The Royal Society of Arts, of London, England, which was founded in 1754 for the encouragement of arts, manufactures and commerce, is holding its annual competition of industrial designs. This competition is aimed to encourage young designers of promise by giving them facilities for exhibiting their work and at the same time of assisting manufacturers to discover fresh talent.

The competition will be held in June under the following heads: Architectural, decoration, textiles, furniture, book production, advertising and commercial art and miscellaneous.

For the benefit of overseas competitors, the entry forms and designs may be sent to the Imperial College of Science and Technology, South Kensington, London, not later than July 1. Further details of the competition may be obtained from J. S. McMillan, 201 Union Building.

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FARM EXPERT BURIED TO DAY

Funeral of Late P. W. Ankertell-Jones Held at Chemainus To-day

Well-known Agriculturist Had Distinguished Career; Judged Many Exhibitions

Chemainus, Feb. 19.—The funeral of the late Patrick Willoughby Ankertell-Jones, a former reeve of the municipality of North Cowichan, took place this morning at 11:30 o'clock at St. Michael's and All Angels' Church, in the presence of a large number of friends.

The late Mr. Ankertell-Jones was widely known as an expert agriculturist and for many years had officiated in all parts of the province as a judge of fruit, vegetables and field crops. His cheery presence made him many friends in all parts of British Columbia.

In recent years he had been troubled with heart attacks and on Tuesday afternoon died suddenly in his orchard.

PILOT ON HOOGHLY

Patrick Willoughby Ankertell-Jones was born on Mayo Island, Ireland, on July 27, 1867, the son of Henry Moutrey Ankertell-Jones and Caroline Diana Frances Carr-Lloyd of Mayo and Bellview Park, Dublin.

He completed his education on H.M.S. Worcester, graduating from there to the Hooghly Pilot Service at Calcutta, India, where, at that time, Sherman Ransom, now of Duncan, was his senior officer.

He returned home in 1889 to be married to Miss Katherine Bluet, the wedding taking place at St. Peter's Church, Plymouth, England.

For about fifteen years he farmed at Oughtard, County Galway, Ireland, and then went to Montreux, Switzerland, for five years, prior to coming to Canada in 1910. He settled at Chemainus, purchasing his present place, where he had farmed ever since.

RENOUN IN AGRICULTURE

Mr. Ankertell-Jones won a great many prizes with his agricultural exhibits and very soon was recognized as an authority on vegetables, field crops and fruits. Potatoes were his specialty. This recognition brought a demand for his services as a judge, and in many years he regularly judged at Vancouver and Victoria shows as well as at many smaller fairs throughout the province. He taught spread southwards and in 1930 he judged at the winter show, Spokane, Washington.

The following year he was asked to go again, but could not, owing to his health.

PUBLIC SERVICE HERE

Before coming to British Columbia he served on the bench in County Galway as a J.P., and for six years was interested in council work. Here, in 1911, he served as councillor for Chemainus ward and the following year was elected reeve of North Cowichan by a big majority. In 1913 he again filled this position, this time by acclamation.

He served for several years as a director of Cowichan Agricultural Society, and for two years as president of the board, 1915-16, 1916-17. He was government representative on Chemainus General Hospital Board for many years.

He leaves his widow, one son, E. M. Ankertell-Jones, Chemainus; one daughter, Mrs. H. C. Mainy, Duncan, and four grandchildren. He was one of a family of seven boys and three girls, of whom two brothers and the three sisters survive.

TELLS GROWTH OF CLUB HERE

Kinsmen Hear of Development of Organization in City at Birthday Meeting

Growth of the Kinsmen organization in Victoria since its inception in 1926 was sketched by Alexey Helmen, present district governor and first president of the local branch, at its sixth birthday meeting in the Empress Hotel yesterday evening.

When the capital city group had been brought together, there were only seven members in the Association of Kinsmen Clubs. Now, he said, there were thirty-two. The Victoria club too, had shown exceptional growth.

David Cochrane, president of the Duncan Club, attended the function with four other members from the upland branch.

Arrangements had been made to sponsor another motorcycle rodeo at the Willows on May 21, 23 and 24, it was announced. The event will be staged by the Victoria Motorcycle Club. A suitable agreement had been reached with the British Columbia Agricultural Association for the use of the fair grounds, it was stated. Final plans for the event were left in the hands of the executive.

MAY STAGE EXCURSION

The club also decided to investigate the possibility of staging an excursion from Victoria to some point on Vancouver Island.

The Victoria club was congratulated on its birthday by Mr. Cochrane and Harry Fox of the Duncan club, who invited the local men to visit their club.

A variety of entertainment was provided by pupils from Miss Florence Clough's Dancing School, who received merited applause. A. C. Stickley also delighted the members with several motion picture reels of scenes in Great Britain.

FORMER KING OF SAXONY DIES

Breslau, Germany, Feb. 19.—Former King Frederick August of Saxony, "the royal philosopher of Sybilism," died yesterday evening from a stroke of apoplexy. He was sixty-five years old. He was found in his bed in Sybilism-nort Castle, near Breslau, yesterday in a critical condition. He failed to regain consciousness before death came at 10:15 p.m. An examination disclosed a brain hemorrhage.

At his bedside when he died were his sons, the former Crown Prince George, who is a Roman Catholic priest, and ex-Prince Ernest Heinrich, and his sister, ex-Princess Mathilde.

CHIROPRACTORS SCORE VICTORY

Commission Report Recommends They Be Given Legal Recognition

A partial victory for chiropractors in their fight for legal recognition was scored this report of Mr. Justice Murphy tabled in the British Columbia Legislature yesterday. The report follows a special inquiry made by His Lordship at the request of the government.

Legal recognition for chiropractors if they are authorized graduates of certain chiropractic colleges that are named; legislation covering their profession which would remove them from the provisions of the Medical Act and an examination board confined to chiropractors are among the important recommendations. The commission states the inquiry was precluded from any coparison of the respective merits of chiropractors and standard medical practitioners.

Main finding in the report were: That those chiropractors now practicing be recognized and allowed to continue who are graduates of six named colleges, who within some specified time send their diplomas to the Provincial Secretary and a statutory declaration proving identity and actual attendance at such college for three periods of six months, consecutive or otherwise.

That these colleges be recognized—the Palmer School of Chiropractic, Chicago; the Universal Chiropractic College, Pittsburgh; the National School of Chiropractic, Chicago; the Pacific Chiropractic College, Portland; the Seattle College of Chiropractic, and the Vancouver branch of the Seattle College.

That the provisions of the Medical Act dealing with chiropractors be repealed.

That a separate act incorporating chiropractors be passed, dealing solely with chiropractors.

That chiropractors now practicing in the province and found qualified by the methods described above should be made members of such body corporate.

That the act should provide for a ruling body similar to that in the Medical Act for physicians with analogous power as to registrations, annual license, discipline, etc., and as to legal collection of fees and prohibition of practice by unregistered persons.

That words or letters such as "doctor" or "physician" or such as customarily indicate those titles be not permitted.

That the act prohibit the prescribing or administering of drugs or medical preparations by chiropractors and the practice of midwifery or surgery. That all subsequent applicants for license to practice chiropractic shall be required to pass an examination before the board to be set up under the act, and that they shall, as a condition precedent to taking the examination, be required to furnish satisfactory evidence of good moral character and preliminary education equivalent to at least third-year high school; and that, in addition, they should furnish satisfactory proof to the board of attendance for three periods of six months at one of the schools recognized above, or such other institution as the board may decide to recognize. And that applicants be examined on at least anatomy, physiology, histology, bacteriology, general diagnosis, including symptomatology, pathology, neurology, chemistry, sanitation and hygiene, and the principles and practices of chiropractic.

That the examining board should consist exclusively of chiropractors. That the board should be authorized to recognize other institutions in addition to those mentioned above, as in their judgment give proper courses in chiropractic, provided such courses are less than three terms of six months each.

That no change in the Medical Act be made with regard to drugless healers, sanpractise, physicians, naturopaths and others who propose to diagnose and treat disease on their own responsibility.

That there was no objection to legislation for the protection of drugless healers, or the mechanical side of their practice, viz., massage, operation of electrical apparatus, lights, etc., when their use is prescribed by authorized practitioners; but the board of examining should include only persons who are not only adept in the technical handling of such agencies, but well informed as to the possibilities of injury which might result from their use.

MEAT AND WOOL TARIFF DEBATE

British Farmers Want Them Included in 10 Per Cent Tariff List

Canadian Press

London, Feb. 19.—British farmers want meat and wool to come under the 10 per cent ad valorem tariff that is being applied to practically all foreign imports under the government's new trade bill. The Minister of Agriculture, Sir John Gilmour, stated in the House recently that wheat meat and wool were the only agricultural products from foreign countries that would be exempt from the new duty.

Wheat is being dealt with in a separate quota bill which guarantees the British farmers 15 per cent of the domestic market at a fixed price.

The Council of the National Union of Farmers yesterday evening endorsed the action of its president in expressing the industry's disappointment at the statement of agricultural policy. Further, it passed a resolution requesting the Conservative agricultural committee of the Commons to "bring all possible pressure to bear" on Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, for removal of meat and wool from the free list.

If that could not be done, the council's resolution urged, then meat and wool should be put under the restrictions of a quota bill somewhat similar to the wheat quota.

Removal of meat and wool from the free list would automatically give Dominion producers the benefit of a further 10 per cent preference, as the new tariffs will not apply to the Dominions until November 15, or after the Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa.

The government's bill, however, distinctly stipulates the tariff advisory board being set up will have no power to remove an article from the list as given with the bill that could only be done by a fresh Act of Parliament.



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PLANS MADE TO SEIZE REVENUES

Canadian Press

Canberra, Australia, Feb. 19.—This bill is the answer to our critics," declared Premier Joseph Lyons as he introduced in the House of Representatives yesterday a bill designed to empower the commonwealth to seize the revenue of any state defaulting its debt payments.

"It involves difficult legal questions," the Prime Minister admitted, "but it is essential to ensure that every Australian government pays its debts."

The bill is a sequel to the action of the state of New South Wales defaulting interest payments due in London and New York, payments which the commonwealth is meeting and in turn endeavoring to recover from the state.

Explaining the procedure under the new bill, the Prime Minister said that when any state defaulted, the auditor-general would issue a certificate of such default and the high court would then issue a declaration. Both federal houses would then pass a resolution on which the full powers of the bill would be operative.

The bill in effect empowers bondholders to sue the commonwealth. On the issuance of a proclamation, state taxes would become payable to the commonwealth government and the taxpayer would be liable to imprisonment if he paid to the state. Such an

offence would be punishable by a maximum fine of £500 and two years' imprisonment.

The commonwealth would also have power to retain moneys borrowed on behalf of a defaulting state, and to seize the state's deposits in banks.

FINE LIMITATIONS

Toronto, Feb. 19.—"I am certain that the police, in erecting these signs, are motivated by the desire to facilitate traffic—but it is a serious thing when the police can put up signs and prosecute without the authority of any by-law," Mayor William Stewart stated yesterday in announcing the matter would be brought to the attention of the police commission. A fine imposed for parking by a sign was recently remitted when found to have been erected without legal authority.

Stomach Bad ...

Niagara Falls, Ont.—"For some time I suffered from nervousness and could not sleep at night. My stomach was bad, my head was dizzy and heavy, I felt so tired and sick in the morning and after I had eaten my breakfast I was filled with gas," said John Joseph Barnes, 991 Huron St. "Let me tell you I felt so discouraged I just gave up everything almost. Finally I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it did me so much good I took three bottles of these wonderful tablets and now I am real well." All druggists.

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SHAW IS MORE

ANGRY THAN HURT

Canadian Press

Capetown, Union of South Africa, Feb. 19.—George Bernard Shaw appeared more angry than hurt to-day as a result of the automobile accident Wednesday in which he and his wife were severely shaken up and bruised. The Shaws are here on a vacation trip.

When he was called to the telephone to-day at his hotel the playwright expressed annoyance that the news of his accident had leaked out and he refused to discuss it.

It was understood the accident was not the reason he had cancelled sailing reservations for England and that both he and his wife were completely recovered, but were prolonging their stay indefinitely.

He informed everybody at breakfast to-day that he never felt better in his life. He has spent his mornings working and his afternoons motoring about the country.

GASOLINE INQUIRY

Winnipeg, Feb. 19 (Canadian Press)—The Manitoba Government will make available all material in its possession in an effort to co-operate with Saskatchewan in its inquiry into gasoline prices, according to Hon. W. J. Major, Attorney-General. An agreement was reached at the last Interprovincial Conference, Mr. Major said, to have the inquiry cover all the western provinces.

RELIEF RESTORED

Calgary, Feb. 19.—Reports that \$10,000 had been raised by Calgary Chinese to aid their brethren in China during the Japanese-Chinese struggle were found untrue by city commissioners, and sixty-three of the Orientalists, struck off the city relief list were reinstated yesterday. Some funds have been raised for the homeland, but not \$10,000.

Lifboats on a new Canadian passenger ship are now equipped with motors and radio sets. The sets are powerful enough to summon aid in case something goes wrong with the motor.

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COSGRAVE OR DE VALERA

ALTHOUGH THE FOLLOWERS OF Eamonn de Valera in the Irish Free State elections seem to be having a little the better of it, until the final returns are in—voting in seven constituencies will take place on March 3—the fate of the Cosgrave government will not be known. As this is written the Republicans have elected forty-five of their candidates and five Laborites who are expected to support them in the Dail, while the administration has returned thirty-six and ten Independents who are supposed to be under the Cosgrave banner. Thus the opposition party has a lead of four seats, with ninety-six out of the 146 constituencies reported. At the time of dissolution the government forces had sixty-four seats, Republicans, fifty-six; Labor, twelve; Independents, eleven; Farmers, six; National League, two; Independent Republicans, one; the Speaker made up the total of the Dail membership of 153.

Mr. Cosgrave issued a statement to-day in which he said that "whatever the final result, the task before all parties is to endeavor to promote the common welfare of the country; the new government will have a heavy task and the country requires that it will receive the utmost co-operation of every citizen." These sentiments are in harmony with the course the leader of the government has pursued since the creation of the Irish Free State and his selection to lead the administration from the outset. He and his colleagues in the present and former ministries appear to have given a good account of themselves. The country's economic and social condition unquestionably has improved very considerably since the conflict which came to an end by the signing of the treaty at Westminster a little more than ten years ago.

While the policies of Mr. Cosgrave are known, however, there is no definite indication of what Mr. de Valera will do if his party should elect sufficient members to enable him to form a government. As far as the dispatches have revealed to date he has not committed himself beyond contradicting the suggestion that he would abolish the hospital sweepstakes. He is presumably still wedded to the idea of complete independence for Ireland; but naturally he would have to confine this aspiration to the Free State, if he still intends to try to go through with it.

There arises then the question as to what attitude the National Government at Westminster would take. In the House of Commons majority probably will be found many advocates of the strong arm to keep the Irish Free State, as a dominion, within the British Commonwealth of Nations. The public would hardly support such measures. On the other hand, if Mr. de Valera should become president, office very likely will mellow him as it did General Hertzog in South Africa.

PUZZLING

THE PREMIER'S STATEMENT ANNOUNCING the decision of the government to reduce the Liquor Control Board from three members to one will prove perplexing in many quarters. It declares that the three-man board has been tried and found satisfactory; that "substantial savings" have been effected by it in many branches of liquor administration, and that the board has solved many difficult problems in a "clean-cut and businesslike manner."

If the three-man board has been such a conspicuous success, why reduce it to a board of one member? Why emasculate a system which has effected such "substantial savings"? Is there not the possibility that a board of one may not be able to maintain the high standard of substantial savings and general administrative efficiency the Premier informs us has been made by the board of three members?

Dr. Talmie will recall that when the one-man system which was operated during the regime of the former government was replaced by a board of three by his government, he and his colleagues told us that the one-man system had been unsatisfactory. Now, if the one-man board has been so highly satisfactory, why make any change at all? Why revert from the satisfactory system to the unsatisfactory one? It is all very puzzling, and the further announcement that the change is being made in the interests of economy makes it more so in the light of the statement that the present board has "effected substantial savings in many branches of the liquor administration."

Can it be that the reduction of a thirty-thousand-dollar-board to one of fifteen thousand dollars would involve a saving more substantial than the savings the Premier informs us the three-man board made? That must be the case, or the change would not be made. Query, how much, then, did the three-man board save for us?

CANADA'S GOLD PRODUCTION

CANADA STRENGTHENED HER POSITION last year as holder of second place among the gold producing countries of the world, the production of the Dominion for 1931 being placed at 2,679,728 fine ounces in the official preliminary estimate. This shows an increase of twenty-seven per cent over 1930, when Canada reached second position with an output of 2,102,068 ounces. In 1930 the United States—not including the Philippine Islands—produced 2,053,659 ounces, while South Africa came first with 10,719,760. During the first ten months of 1931 the United States output increased by a little over 70,000 ounces, while that of Canada rose by over 500,000 ounces.

Ontario is the leading producer of gold among the provinces of the Dominion, with Quebec second and British Columbia third. Quebec took second place from this province only last year. Ontario

in 1931 passed the 2,000,000-ounce mark and produced seventy-eight per cent of the gold mined in Canada. The Ontario output totaled 2,084,959 ounces, of which 1,054,017 ounces came from Kirkland Lake, 962,688 ounces from the Porcupine, and the remainder from other gold properties and from the nickel-copper ores of the Sudbury district. Kirkland Lake's position as the leading gold field of Ontario was won only last year.

British Columbia's gold production at 153,934 fine ounces was slightly under the 1930 output of 164,331 ounces. Placer gold output was larger; but the lode gold yield fell off owing to decreases by the Premier, less gold from copper ores and the closing down in 1930 of the Nickel Plate gold mine at Hedley. This mine has been in fairly continuous operation since its discovery in 1898, and during that time has produced over \$10,000,000 in gold. The Pioneer mine in the Bridge River section of the province showed a marked improvement in output, but the increase was not great enough to offset the losses from other sources. In the Yukon district placer gold output at 36,280 fine ounces was slightly greater than in the previous year.

HITTING THE NAIL

OF SPECIAL INTEREST AT THIS TIME is an article in a recent issue of The Monetary Times which contrasts the tariff policies of Mr. Bennett and Mr. King. Basing its most direct reference to the subject on the Liberal leader's advocacy of a policy that will encourage exports, this writer says in part:

It is on this last phase of the tariff that the difference is perhaps sharpest between the Liberal and the Conservative leader. Mr. Bennett sees the home market being invaded by outside products and at once jumps to the defence of the home producer by shutting out foreign goods. So impressed is he with the need of keeping the home market secure that at every new danger of invasion he erects a special barrier to bar its way. He does not appear to be aware that by shutting out foreign goods he is blocking the export of Canadian products as well. Mr. King, on the other hand, would erect a substantial tariff wall about our home industries but would at the same time maintain that tariff in a stable condition to encourage trade. He realizes that Canada needs a big export trade and that such a trade can not be kept up if we refuse to buy from other countries. In a time of depressed trade Mr. King would lower barriers to encourage exchange of goods, while Mr. Bennett would protect the home market even at the cost of destroying the external market for Canadian products.

The Monetary Times has no axe to grind. It looks at business in the cold light of economic reason. Like other newspapers, even some of those favorable to the government, it would prefer policies which would create more employment instead of decreasing it—and, for example, give the railways an opportunity to sell more services in the movement of imports and exports.

THE RUSH FOR PROFITS

BANKERS IN THE NEW ENGLAND States are worried these days because of the flight of American dollars over the Canadian border to take advantage of the exchange situation. Many communities are being drained of currency and business is suffering in consequence. So acute has the situation become that pleas are being made to Washington for some form of protection. Says The Business Week:

Here in the true Yankee country people see an opportunity for profitable trade—a thing always close to the Yankee heart. When the Canadian dollar recovers—as they feel sure it will—they can recall the money and cash their profits. Meanwhile deposits in Canada are drawing interest on the larger face value.

This movement, of course, has been in progress for some time. It grew to stampede proportions when the Canadian dollar dropped to a seventy-eight-cent discount—which was the lowest in ten years. It was thought it might still go lower and the northern flow of dollars continued. New England farmers have been mortgaging land to the limit and converting the proceeds into Dominion dollars at fifteen to twenty per cent face profit.

Some idea of how this form of business has boomed may be gained from the fact that one eastern Canadian bank ran out of pass books; another had to wire Montreal for help to handle the customers. Incidentally, withdrawals from the International Trust and Banking Corporation, Calais, Maine, branch, caused it to close its doors. No wonder some United States bankers in the communities most concerned are a little worried.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

ROAD VS. RAIL
The Toronto Star

Most people, when they speak of motor competition injuring the railways, have the motor bus and the motor truck in mind, but Mr. Irwin says, and quite truly, that as regards passenger traffic the motor bus is a relatively minor factor, as the competition is largely from the privately-owned automobile.

THEN—NOW
The London Advertiser

"Let us bear our burdens gladly and hold our heads proudly," says Mr. Bennett. These words are brave, but somehow lack the definiteness of Mr. Bennett's famous pre-election utterance: "Mr. King promises to consider unemployment; I promise to end it."

THE BREAD THAT FRANCE ATE
Richard Le Gallienne in New York Sun

This book ("The Reds of the Midi," a Provincial romance) makes us tragically realize how much the chestnut meant in the hard fare of the French peasant before the revolution. It was indeed the only delicacy of their menu, and the bread which was their main article of food was made of a coarse flour compounded of rye and beans and acorns—half of the acorns laboriously gathered going to the feudal lord. This bread was baked only once a year, and the great leaves were so hard that they had to be chopped up with an axe for the day's ration; so hard by the end of the year that they nicked the edge of the axe! And that was literally all the peasants had to eat before the men of the Marcellaise marched up to Paris and by their famous battle cry put new life into the warring French revolutionaries.

A THOUGHT

But behold the hand of him that betrayeth me is with me on the table.—Luke xxi 21.
Remember the divine saying. He that keepeth his mouth, keepeth his life.—Sir Walter Raleigh.

Across The Bay

The House starts to work, grimly and with the best intentions—Dr. Alward repeats the old cry of the north—Capt. Macintosh makes a magnificent proposal—and Mr. Pattullo wants to end it all.

By H. B. W.

THE HOUSE started grimly yesterday to get down to business. Indeed, it got down to business so suddenly that it was quite overcome by its own speed and simply couldn't go on with the business it had got down to. And, altogether, it was the most businesslike and therefore the most surprising first day of work we have seen for years.

THE ATMOSPHERE was grim and businesslike from the start. No one mentioned politics. No one seemed to have time for politics. This House, if its first working day is any indication, is not thinking in terms of politics but in terms of economics. It would be a bold and somewhat ignorant prophet who would say that there will be no politics later on, but it does seem true to say that this House meets with a deeper sense of its own responsibility than with a new realization that the public will have little interest in mere manoeuvring, with a consciousness that the only profitable politics just now is as little politics as possible.

ANYWAY, THE TONE of the opening speeches was sober and high. Dr. Alward, of Fort George, began that ancient but somewhat discredited business known briefly as the Debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne. Dr. Alward speaks well, but without any attempt to inspire. He is fluent, forms good, workmanlike sentences and is at no loss for words. But there is no fire in them, and evidently there isn't intended to be. He stands motionless and gestureless, as if talking to a friend of rather higher intelligence than the ordinary. The House appreciated the compliment.

DR. ALWARD showed the results of careful study. He spoke of larger economic issues, like gold reserves, inflated currency and bank borrowings with an evident knowledge which one doesn't always expect, even in the front benches. He advocated a mild inflation to steam up business, dealt with unemployment and a few other matters but his heart, as you would expect, was really in the Peace River Railway problem. Once again through these cold and unresponsive halls echoed that old, despairing cry from the North: the cry for a railway, and it seemed only yesterday, though it was ten years ago, that Harry Perry, Dr. Alward's able predecessor, was telling us the same thing. Dr. Alward's speech, in brief, was that, as the two transcontinental railways at last have said definitely that they won't build the northern railway, we must go ahead by subsidizing private capital. Much more will be heard of this from still higher sources before long.

CAPT. MACGREGOR MACINTOSH of the Islands, who left his right arm in France, who is the youngest and one of the most popular members of the House, followed with a magnificent speech, in brief, that, as the two transcontinental railways at last have said definitely that they won't build the northern railway, we must go ahead by subsidizing private capital. Much more will be heard of this from still higher sources before long.

WHEN MR. PATTULLO stood up we expected, of course, that he would merely adjourn the debate so that, on the morrow, he would have a full day to himself; for a full day is small compass enough to say all those things about the government which it is the duty of the opposition to say. He said, in brief, that, as the two transcontinental railways at last have said definitely that they won't build the northern railway, we must go ahead by subsidizing private capital. Much more will be heard of this from still higher sources before long.

MR. PATTULLO was finished in thirty-four seconds (approximate time, as gauged by the press gallery page). Before anyone realized what was happening he had thrown away his chance to speak on the Throne Speech debate, he had valiantly tossed aside what must be a vast accumulation of prospects against the government. The prospect of the whole debate collapsing was a relief which no one can appreciate who hasn't listened to a dozen old Throne Speech debates meaning altogether precisely nothing. But it was a disappointment, notwithstanding, for Mr. Pattullo's opening address as opposition leader has always

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been a very good and a very able address indeed.

IT ALL HAPPENED so quickly, Mr. Pattullo executed his manoeuvre so adroitly that the government seemed quite taken aback. Cabinet ministers looked at one another as if, in Mr. Pattullo's own chaste language, they had been caught in deshabille. For to refuse Mr. Pattullo's offer meant that they must take the responsibility of plunging the House into a debate which might go on for an empty and useless fortnight, and to accept, it seemed to involve embarrassments which are known to it only. To accept it certainly meant that the government must be prepared to supply a list of business which few governments are able to supply so early in the session. Anyway, the Premier, thinking fast, moved the adjournment of the debate, which will give the government a night to ponder its course. But Mr. Pattullo had certainly scored in the opening round.

THIS HAD no sooner been accomplished than the Opposition launched its second line of attack. It moved, through Mr. MacPherson, of Cranbrook, to consider business of urgent public import, namely the bankruptcy of merchants because the government wouldn't pay its bills. Mr. Speaker Davis didn't consider this urgent within the meaning of the rules. Mr. Manson argued in legal terms to prove that it was urgent. In such cases of course, the House is never permitted. The idea is to get your accusation before the assembly and debate it later. Well, it will be debated later with many, many other things. So, even if the debate on the Throne Speech does collapse under Mr. Pattullo's right, there will be plenty to replace it.

Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES, FEBRUARY 19, 1907 (From The Times File)

Owing to the extreme pressure necessary and the length of piping used, it is estimated that the dredge King Edward is only throwing about 2,000 cubic yards of solid matter into the James Bay flats each day. Up to noon to-day some 100,000 cubic yards had been thrown in, and for an area of 400 yards about the mouth of the river there is from six to seven feet of solid matter.

The market activity in real estate in the vicinity of the Gorge has been indicated several times of late, notably in the purchase of the Gorge Hotel.

The members of the Fifth Regiment, C.A., remembered the anniversary of Barbours last evening by a regimental parade. The day is a proud one in connection with the local regiment which contributed heavily from its ranks on the day when the Canadian representative acquired them selves with such honor in South Africa.

Weather Forecast—Victoria and vicinity: Light to moderate northerly winds, generally fair and cold at night.

James J. Campbell, though the agent, Jack Burke, has announced that he would back Mike Schreck for \$15,000 to fight champion Jim Jeffries. Burke is a mischief in Chicago bank and Jeff or anyone willing to back the big fellow can get on in a hurry.

Other People's Views

NOW FOR THE HOME PRODUCT

To the Editor:—An item in your paper the other evening referred to the way Premier Bennett had suppressed the importation of Hooey.

He got the imported article shut off in time to leave the field here clear for the unadulterated home product now coming out in the form of the Talmie government's reversal statements on the \$30,000 Liquor Board.

ANOTHER HOOEY ADDICT.

WEST COAST ROAD

To the Editor:—Victoria has a large number of unemployed, for whom work must be provided. The province is without funds and the federal government must provide the money to tide these men over the depression.

There is no undertaking on the Coast in which the Dominion government is more interested than the completion of the West Coast road.

This road has to be built, why not do it now?

A vigorous appeal for this work by our local member and our Chamber of Commerce should result in this much-needed work being provided at once.

R. G. CALLOP.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS

To the Editor:—I read in your paper that it had been decided to install eight traffic signals at a cost of \$8,000. In a small city like Victoria this is a waste of money which could be used for a better purpose. In much larger cities efficient police officers on point duty, handled a greater number of cars without difficulty before the advent of automatic signals.

There are unquestionably men in the local force who could take care of our traffic problems, provided that these men were stationed in the centre of the intersections with power to enforce the regulations. To-day the police force is handling traffic much better than was the case eight or ten months ago. In spite of their quaint methods there is little or no doubt that if

men were put on point duty at least during the peak, and if autoists and pedestrians were initiated into the mystery of the traffic rules, the problem would be solved simply and inexpensively.

Possibly in these times of unemployment, the money could be used to better advantage.

ECONOMY.

A CHANCE FOR MR. JONES

To the Editor:—I notice in the paper of Wednesday afternoon that the State of Kentucky had before it a bill to bring down its deficit and increase its revenues by imposing a tax of \$100 a year on all colonels using the title within the state.

What a bonanza of new taxing opportunities this example opens for our harassed Hon. Mr. Jones, the Minister of Finance, with the host of civilians here who use military titles! Doubtless Mr. Jones would use his usual good judgment and discrimination in imposing the tax, seeing to it that a colonel was not called upon to pay as much as a general, or a major as much as a colonel, and so on down the line.

ACTIVE SERVICE.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS

To the Editor:—Dealing with your editorial, may I be allowed to state that British justice as I have understood it means:

1—Every man is innocent till proven guilty.
2—That if there is a doubt then the prisoner shall have the benefit of such.
3—That every man shall have a trial before a fair and just tribunal.

Jack Rogers, ex-detective, was discharged unquestionably on hearsay. The following facts prove: The records of the police show that Rogers gave some nineteen years' service upon the police force and service at the front. He is a returned soldier.

The records show that this man's record during all his service stands unblemished.

This man has the highest references from the late chief and deputy chief under whom he served.

This man was discharged by the then police commissioners, Mr. McGavin and Mr. North, Mayor Ansonby voting against.

Chief Healey states: "When I was made chief of police, both you, Mr. North, and your husband and also Mr. McGavin knew what course I was going to take in reorganizing the police force."

Mr. McGavin states: "My reason for reinstating Jack Rogers is that I am convinced a grave injustice was done to the man, and after going into the whole facts I am convinced that it is my duty to remedy the wrong done, and as an honorable man I have taken this stand."

Mr. McGavin says: "Meanwhile, Ex-detective Rogers has been out of employment for a year and has 'served his sentence.'"

If reorganization means the taking of a man's character by dismissal without trial or proof of any guilt or wrong, after nineteen years' faithful service, and cause this man to lose a hard-earned pension, then there is a danger in the woodpile.

Credit due to Mr. McGavin and Mr. North, for having come out openly and taken the firm stand to remedy a grave injustice, and to have convinced the public will support their action.

JOHN DAY.

880 Madison Street, Victoria.

THE STORY OF INDIA

To the Editor:—It is a matter for deep satisfaction that the National Council for Education is continuing the good work of diffusing accurate information concerning India. Khan Bahadur Abdullah, who has been in your columns, is certain to be of the greatest interest to all who have the welfare of the empire and of India at heart.

It is most important that the misrepresentations and vilifications of the British Government emanating from groups of political agitators should be met by simple statements of fact.

The political agitators, it must be remembered, really represent themselves as a minute percentage of the 352,000,000 of India. But they are very vocal, quite non-constructive, have no regard for truth, are altogether irresponsible, make no appeal to the unimpaired, and have no regard for the ultimate good of the peoples of India. In fact, their actions constitute the foulest treachery towards the population.

Their propaganda outside India, by speeches, writings and broadcasting, is conducted with much cleverness and subtlety. The subtle is the worst of all. It is mischief is often apparent only to those whose knowledge and experience of India enables them to appreciate its meanings. Superficially, interesting, it is in reality a most dangerous and harmful. But it adds to the difficulties of the government and of that splendid body, the Indian Civil Service. This is a serious matter, and the selfless devotion to duty and the confidence it inspires in the peoples committed to its charge, is at least the equal of any public service the world has ever known.

It is to this service that Abdullah Yusuf Ali belongs.

The estimation in which Abdullah Yusuf Ali is held by the government of India and his qualifications to present the facts regarding India, may be judged from his record of services:

He was editor of the Indian University, St. John's College, Cambridge and Lincoln's Inn, London. He was appointed to the Indian Civil Service in 1904. He was then successively assistant-magistrate and collector in the Northwest Provinces and Oudh; assistant-sessions judge; joint magistrate; under secretary to the government of India; deputy-commissioner; magistrate and collector; on special duty in the financial department of the government of India.

He retired from the service in 1914 and received the distinction of C.B.E. But his public services were by no means ended. He served in Scandinavia under the Foreign Office and the Ministry of Information in 1918; he was Resident Minister in the State of Hyderabad in 1921 and 1922; he served on the Indian delegation at the ninth assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva in 1926.

Abdullah Yusuf Ali was also for some time principal of the Islamic College at Lahore in the Punjab, and when in Europe he attended special courses at the universities of Heidelberg, Florence, Paris and Rome.

He is a writer of artistic, literary and historical merit, as is shown in his books: "A Monograph on Silk Fabrics"; "Life and Labour of the People of India"; "Metronome and Serpentine Sculpture"; "India and Europe"; and "The Making of India."

I trust, sir, that the above will be held to indicate that the subject of the address and the speaker merit the close attention of a representative Victorian audience at the Memorial Hall at 8.30 p.m. on February 23.

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News of Clubwomen

New Eyelashes
Are Latest Fad

Boston, Feb. 19.—Eyelashes while you wait. Long sweeping lashes that resist tears, swimming and cleansing lotions and last for ninety days on one application.

New England hairdressers displayed this new ad-to-beauty during their annual trade and style show. For the price of thirty minutes' patience, eyelashes can be applied as thick, as brushes to all who desired them.

As many as thirty or forty lashes, each about three-quarters of an inch long, are attached to the upper rim of the eyelid by means of tweezers and an adhesive mixture guaranteed not to harm the eye.

That languishing curve upward may be had by treating the lashes with vaseline and then curling them backward with a tiny brush. The treatment must be repeated every three hours.

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CHILDREN'S AID HOME
IS TOTALLY INADEQUATE

Annual Reports Show Institution Overcrowded and Lacking Proper Facilities; Board Carrying on in Spite of Financial and Other Problems; Officers Re-elected

The imperative need of a more suitable and modern building was emphasized at the annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society held yesterday evening at the home, 1234 Pandora Avenue. The present home was shown to be overcrowded and sadly lacking in toilet and washroom facilities, with only two toilets, two sinks and two washbasins for the use of the children, who at times had numbered thirty-nine, the inadequate accommodation proving detrimental to the health of the children.

PRESIDENT'S APPEAL

These points were brought out in the annual medical report and also in the report of the president, H. L. Butters, who reiterated his previous statements to the effect that the building is out of date and unsuited to the purposes for which it is being used, but with the means available has been maintained in a satisfactory manner throughout the year.

After outlining the general work and policies of the board, Mr. Butters recalled the difficulties faced in financing the home owing to the prevailing stringency, resulting in a reduction in the number of donations and at the same time creating increased demands on the home. In spite of this problem, everyone connected with the society had rallied strongly to the support of the board with the result that the home had been efficiently maintained and the children well cared for.

MEDICAL REPORT

Dr. Felton, city health officer, in his report, after reciting the inadequate facilities at the home, recommended the addition of a washroom containing at least eight hand-basins and one shower bath, although it was admitted in the report that this would "only be patching up a totally inadequate building."

The question of boarding out some of the children was mooted, but left in abeyance pending the receipt of Mr. Cameron Parker's report, following her recent survey.

CHILDREN ADOPTED

Mrs. G. H. Bissell, the secretary, reviewed the year's work, noting that two girls and one boy had been adopted by good families during the year. General conditions in the home had been greatly improved with the lessening of the fire hazard and the splendid co-operation between staff and directors. Friends had continued to give generously, notably the Native Daughters, the Gyro Club, the T. H. group and friends who voluntarily undertook required alterations and mending in the home once weekly. At present there are twenty-five children in the home.

OFFICERS ELECTED

In the election of officers, H. L. Butters was re-elected by acclamation as president; first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Bissell; second vice-president, Mrs. M. C. McBride; treasurer, H. T. Ravenhill; and secretary, Mrs. O. H. Bissell. New members elected to the board for the two-year term were Miss McBride, P. P. Boucher, A. E. Evans, H. P. Kirkendale, Rev. Thomas Menzies and Mrs. Sidney Child, and others remaining on the board with still a year to run are Mrs. Alice Bissell, Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, H. T. Ravenhill, W. J. Alder, Miss E. Tyne, Mrs. W. H. Radbourne, H. L. Butters, Miss E. Herbert, and representing the city, Aldermen Alex. Peden and R. T. Williams.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS THANKED

The president tendered the thanks of the society to Mr. and Mrs. Quinn and Mrs. Duncan, the nurse, of the home staff, and to the honorary treasurer, A. W. Evans; the honorary secretary, Mrs. Alice Bissell; Miss E. Tyne, chairman of the large camp committee; H. T. Ravenhill, head of the finance committee; to Mrs. G. H. Radbourne, the vice-president; and to the city health officer for his good work among the children.

Guests registered at the Strathcona Hotel are: Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson, Lettbridge; Mr. and Mrs. L. Divil, Port Renfrew; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fletcher; Nanaimo; Mr. E. W. Miller; Regina; Miss McKay, South Pender; Miss A. McKay, South Pender; Mrs. Arthur Crane, South Pender; Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor, Ganges; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price, Duncan; Miss Booth, Portland; Mr. A. P. Price, Duncan; Mr. A. T. R. Butler, Deep Cove; Mr. P. W. Hill, Vancouver; Mr. Wm. Grundy, Vancouver.

FOR SAFETY

Office Vamp: I wonder if the boss noticed my new outfit this morning.

Other Office Girl: I think he must have. Anyway, he called me in and told me that in the future I was to have charge of the stamp money!

Survey Analyzes
Work Of Private
Duty Nurses

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—The Weir Nursing Survey shows that the average private duty nurse is thirty-one years of age and has had 5.8 years' experience in nursing practice. Ninety per cent are unmarried. Over 20 per cent of these nurses have taken special courses—averaging slightly over six months—since graduation. She has had 2.9 years of high school training, a statement, however, which is subject to a number of qualifications. During the last forty-two weeks she spent 29.9 weeks in actual nursing and 3.3 weeks on voluntary vacation. She was ill 4.3 weeks and was unemployed 14.3 weeks. Her total income, including the equivalent for board and lodging while on duty was \$1,022. Only 40 per cent of the private duty nurses saved during the past year, 1929-30—the average saving being \$256—while 8 per cent went behind on an average of \$240.

"On the whole, the economic condition of the average private duty nurse in Canada is, from the viewpoint both of her present and future financial independence, anything but promising. In the interests both of the public and the nursing profession it is obvious that a radical reorganization of private duty nursing is desirable. An efficient system of control and supervision of nursing services in Canada indeed constitutes one of the greatest social problems of the day and offers a challenge to the highest talents of enlightened professional leadership."

"Practically all of the institutional nurses are registered: 94 per cent are unmarried. Their ages ranged from twenty-one to sixty-five years, with a median of 31.4 years. She had an average of 3.2 years of high school and nearly 18 per cent had had normal school training in teaching, for an average of 2.8 months. About 21 per cent had actually taught in a public or private school, some on provisional certificates, 35 per cent held matriculation or higher standing."

DUNCAN CHURCH
NAMES OFFICERS

Special To The Times

Duncan, Feb. 19.—The annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was held in the house on Tuesday with C. W. O'Neill in the chair. A letter of condolence was ordered sent to Mrs. R. M. Roloff, bereaved of her husband, a letter of thanks will be sent Mrs. A. Lamont, in appreciation of her Sunday school work. Mrs. Lamont has been asked to carry on until the end of March, when other arrangements will be made.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Miss Monk, organist, and Mrs. W. Murdoch, who had been appointed delegates to the Victoria Presbytery. Thomas McEwan was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

The financial report was accepted. The following will constitute the board of trustees: Mr. Murdoch, C. W. O'Neill, R. M. Smith, Wm. Evans, A. C. Wilson and J. D. Pollock. Mrs. E. G. Sanford lent her home on Wednesday afternoon for the first of a series of teas to be given under the auspices of St. John's W.A. There was an attendance of over forty. The musical programme arranged by Mrs. Blachlager included vocal solos by Mrs. Piper, Miss May Tombs and Mrs. J. N. O'Neill, accompanists being Mrs. A. E. Robinson and Mrs. E. W. Neel. A competition, "stitches" arranged by Mrs. O'Neill, was won by Mrs. Murdoch. Mrs. Cairns after tying with Mrs. W. Dobson and Mrs. McColl. Tea was served by Mrs. G. Jarvis, Mrs. W. Preston and Mrs. G. Cook. Mrs. H. Graham guessed the contents of a box supervised by Mrs. Langlois.

St. John's Badminton Club defeated a team from the Y.P.L. 9 to 7, at the Colwood Hall, on Wednesday evening. The players were: St. John's—Miss E. Chaplin, Mrs. A. E. Robinson, Miss Elsie Kirkham, Messrs. J. Gregory, J. N. O'Neill, George Dobson, and W. MacDonald. Y.P.L.—Miss P. Petch, Miss M. Owen, Miss Margaret Kerrone, Miss Kate Buckmaster, Messrs. George Sanderson, Elmer Churchill, Wallace Plett and Allan Gadden.

GIVING CONCERT TO-NIGHT FOR V.O.N.

The David Spencer choir, under the direction of Major T. Harry Wells, will give a programme at the Shrine Auditorium this evening. The concert is being given in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses and has the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. J. Fordham Johnson, Premier and Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, Mayor and Mrs. David Leeming, and Mrs. J. O. Cameron. The assisting artists will be Margaret Fenster, contralto, Vancouver; Madeline Discombe, soprano; Harry Nancarrow, tenor; Maudy Humphreys, baritone, and Gwendoline Harper, A.T.C.M., solo pianist and accompanist.

WORKROOM TO HAVE
NEW HEADQUARTERS

The women's workroom committee at its meeting held yesterday evening at the Y.W.C.A., decided to accept the kind offer, made by R. H. B. Ker, of new headquarters on Pandora Avenue, warm appreciation being expressed of his generosity. The change of headquarters, which will be made some time in April, is made necessary owing to the Y.W.C.A. requiring the present workroom for its own use, the understanding being, when the workroom was established at the "Y" October last, that the present accommodation would only be available until the end of March. Mrs. Arthur Walsh presided at yesterday evening's meeting.

Birthday Greetings
Are Extended
To-day To—

J. H. SCHOFIELD, M.P.P.
MRS. ELIZABETH MOWAT
MAJOR J. B. HARDINGE
PERCY MARCHANT



Percy Marchant, popular Rotarian, and a lawyer, had a birthday Wednesday and was the recipient of many happy returns from a host of friends and brother Rotarians. Mr. Marchant is the son of William Marchant, former mayor, alderman and school trustee of this city.

SISTER MARY'S
KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY

Citrus fruits in their prime now, so, as the jelly glasses are emptied, why not fill them up with marmalade? The tang of orange and grapefruit marmalade will be particularly refreshing later when faded spring appetites need topping up.

Combination marmalade uses an orange and a lemon and grapefruit with excellent results. This marmalade is less bitter than one made entirely with oranges, so if your family does not like the bitter taste try this recipe.

COMBINATION MARMALADE

One large grapefruit, 1 large orange, 1 large lemon, 14 cups cold water, 10 cups granulated sugar.

Wash fruit out of seeds and reject. Cut in half and remove seeds. Chop up very thin slices, cutting through rind and pulp. Cover with cold water and let stand 24 hours. Put over the fire and bring to the boiling point. Strain thirty minutes and remove from the fire. Let stand again for 24 hours. Add 3 cups of granulated sugar and cook until thick. Pour into sterilized glasses and cover with paraffine when cold.

If you want to make a very pretty marmalade peel the fruit and cook the peels until very tender. Remove from water and scrape off the soft white part, leaving only the yellow outside. Cut the rind in thin match-like strips with scissors. Cut the fruit in thin slices, rejecting seeds, and cook the fruit in one cup of water for twenty minutes. Add sugar and prepared rind and cook until it jellies, about fifteen minutes.

Kumquats can be used in place of oranges and makes a most delicious marmalade. The Kumquats are cut in thin slices with seeds removed, covered with cold water and allowed to stand 24 hours, simmered until tender and again set aside for 24 hours. Measure and use the boiling point, four cups fruit and juice. Cook until thick and pour into sterilized glasses. Cover with paraffine when cold.

AUNT HET

BY ROBERT QUILLIN

"It ain't no sin to gossip. The wicked part is bein' thrilled by what the folks done to make you gossip."

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Women said:
You can't
keep suds
like that

But that was before they used the New Oxydol

Why don't you try this amazing soap—see how its suds last till dishes are sparkling clean—how they float dirt out of clothes and hold it out so clothes are cleaner and whiter without rubbing? Softens water. Never balls up.

In nursing she has made a wide circle of friends and she takes a fond interest in scores of young people in Victoria, whom she refers to as her children, by reason of the fact she has known them since they entered the threshold of life.

Major John Bayley Hardinge, D.S.O., Croix de Guerre, M.C., received congratulations yesterday on his birthday. Major Hardinge is managing director and vice-president of the Island Packing Company, and is a member of the Public Schools Club. He came to Victoria in 1927 after being twenty years elsewhere in Canada, except for his period overseas. Major Hardinge has made many friends in Victoria through his valuable association with the local Boy Scout movement.

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Your Baby
and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

TWINS DOUBLE BUSY MOTHER'S DUTIES

Some time ago I printed a query from the mother of twins about managing their day, so that hours for feeding and training would not conflict. My suggestion at that time was that their days start one-half hour apart, thus keeping their meals, their bowel training, their naptimes far enough apart so that the same mother could manage them both. I received a number of letters from mothers of twins. All of them were interesting, but, naturally, all of them could not be printed. I have been keeping this one, having to file it, because it contained such wholesome, sensible advice from a mother whose twins are now grown up.

REGULARITY IS SOLUTION

Here, in part, is what she said: "When I was a mother of twins, I always stop when I see them and find a certain responsiveness. My twin girls are in college this year and they have been one of my greatest joys. The solution for the care of them is an absolutely regular schedule. I think Mrs. Eldred's plan about feeding schedules is a good one. I nursed my babies twenty minutes apart, used sleeping bags for them, taking older than the width of the baby with arms extended and twice as long as they were. I cut a slit for their heads and pinned this opening snugly. The bags were open at the bottom and were such a comfort. I used pique slips about fourteen by twenty inches, put a piece of rubber in them, and kept them under the babies in coaches and on my lap. That prevented any necessity for rubber pants."

PERFECT HEALTH

"I used cracked wheat for them and whole wheat bread, toasted. They never suffered from constipation and had no cavities in first or second teeth. They had severe teeth at one year and their teeth now are perfect. They were past four years old before they tasted candy. I found it easier to keep it away from them than to try to restrain their desire for it after they had tasted it."

SCHEDULE FOR ONE

Taking care of one baby at a time is a mother's work, but it is a lot easier when you have two. We have no schedules designed especially for twins, but the ordinary one could be used, as suggested, by starting their days at slightly different hours, taking care of one and then the other. Any mother who is interested in a schedule for the small baby's day may have it by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope with her request for it.

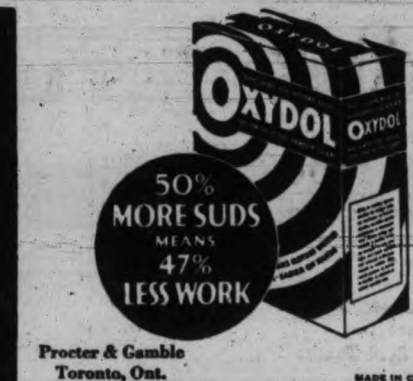
I hope the many mothers who wrote me about their twins will accept this as an acknowledgment of my gratitude for their interest in the problems of a reader. The only service I can promise is to answer questions myself and let that suffice. Sending letters from a reader to another is a service that would be pleasant, but impossible. We are always sorry that we have to refuse, I hope this won't discourage anyone from writing to me, but only save mothers the trouble of enclosing letters for readers whose problems have interested them.

To-morrow: "Baby Shouldn't Have Cold Feet."

Colwood

Hoodless Day, instituted five years ago by the Colwood Women's Institute, to mark the founding at Stony Creek, Ontario, of the first Women's Institute of Canada, was again celebrated on Wednesday afternoon in Colwood Hall, there being a large attendance and five visitors. Mrs. J. Hopwood presided.

Mrs. Kelly, a former president, who was the instigator of establishing Hoodless Day in memory of Adelaide Hoodless, briefly reviewed the growth of the movement, and on behalf of the members made a presentation of silver spoons to Mrs. Hopwood, the president. Mrs. Kelly also expressed regret at the departure of Mrs. Hopwood, who had been active in the



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Members of Morgan Chapter, O.E.S., were hosts at twelve tables of bridge on Tuesday evening at the Native Sons' Hall. The social committee, Mrs. R. G. Smith, Mrs. F. Weaver and Mrs. E. J. Cronk were in charge. Prizes for high scores were awarded to Mrs. D. R. Kelly and Harry Duncan, while congratulations were secured by Mrs. Arnold McLean and Capt. C. McEl. Fry.

Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

TWINS DOUBLE BUSY MOTHER'S DUTIES

Seven tables were in play at Wednesday evening's card party held in the hall under the auspices of the Colwood Hall committee. Prize winners were: Miss Moore, Mrs. J. Macdonald, J. Hopwood and E. Wishart. Rev. Bruce Balfour of Victoria will conduct morning service at St. John's Church on Sunday.

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NELSON, B.C.,
HAS SURPLUSReceipts Were \$31,501 More
Than Expenditures For 1931;
Not Due to Tax Raise

Nelson, B.C., Feb. 19.—The city of Nelson had a surplus of ordinary receipts over expenditures of \$31,501.35 in 1931, the annual statement just issued, shows.

This surplus was found after writing off \$4,447.40 in depreciation, which brought Nelson's total surplus of assets over liabilities to \$1,049,018.87.

Nelson's total assets as a municipality are \$2,154,093.12.

The city was able to show a surplus for the year, when most governments had to report deficits, was due not to an increased rate of taxation, but chiefly to increased sales of the products of public utilities. Power and light sales were \$145,104.15, an increase of \$10,000 over 1930. Gas sales, interest, gas ranges, etc., was up \$14,000. Revenue from the government covering share of liquor profits, motor vehicle license and parking-mutual percentage was down nearly \$4,000.

The year's surplus of \$31,501.35 was spent in permanent improvements on public works and electrical distribution system. Instead of issuing bonds for such work it was to this extent paid for out of revenue.

Expenditure on schools was \$118,724.58, electric department \$91,234.30; the waterworks, \$16,940.04; street railway, \$92,534.36. All these totals include interest and sinking fund.

FARMER HOLDS
OFF POLICEOfficers Try to Take Man in
Alberta Without Causing
Bloodshed

Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 19.—Harvey Thompson, Styal, Alberta, farmer whose home is nine miles west of here, today continued to balk efforts of Alberta provincial police to take him peacefully on a charge of stealing \$15 in lumber tools.

Shotgun in hand and with hammer cracked, Thompson was patrolling his house and yard and allowed only two officers to approach at one time. While they were within range of his weapon he pointed it directly at them and announced one false move would cause him to shoot.

Thompson's wife and child were in the house and the latter prevented officers from making a concentrated drive against him.

The police first went to the farm-house last Tuesday.

IMMIGRATION
RULE CHANGED

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—Changes were made in the regulations governing the entry of Chinese into Canada and the new rules were announced today by the Minister of Immigration, Mr. J. A. Gordon.

Under the new regulations, Chinese who have been in Canada for two years in the time they have been absent from Canada, have been given the right to re-enter without having to register outward between January 1, 1930, and December 31, 1932.

This extension had been allowed to enable Chinese persons now visiting in China to remain there until unemployment conditions should improve, "but assisting to relieve the unemployment situation in Canada and to reduce the number of Chinese persons who would otherwise apply for relief."

OTTAWA FEDERAL
DISTRICT URGED

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—The creation of Ottawa into a federal district, involving disfranchisement of all voters in the capital is to be discussed in Parliament this session, says the Ottawa Citizen.

"One of the Conservative members has prepared a resolution on the subject, but before announcing it desires to have some discussion."

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United States leaders consider it a privilege to honor a Canadian actress, a perfectly natural and friendly thing that a Canadian should have been invited to take leading part in Percy Mackaye's tribute to the "Father of His Country."

Miss Anglin herself is delighted to lend her art to the United States.

"Are you still a Canadian, Miss Anglin?" she was asked.

The actress smiled and said: "It is impossible to be anything else."

She recalled the fact that she had been in the United States since the Diamond Jubilee at Ottawa.

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Vernon, B.C., Feb. 19.—Some sixty-five men, who started to march to Vancouver on Wednesday when the concentration camp was closed after the men had been offered employment in work camps at remuneration unacceptable to them, have proceeded to Kamloops in two box cars of a freight train. The men have acted quietly since they left the camp and there has been no disturbance.

They marched to Armstrong, sixteen miles from here, where they were attended a hockey game as invited guests, and were quartered Wednesday evening. Yesterday they boarded the box cars.

Word has also been received here that some sixty men who straggled out of the Nara camp have taken the road to Kamloops.

Men at the Oryana road camp accepted the government's offer of work. While police made preparations against possible disorder when it was worded that the men would leave the Vernon camp, there was no trouble.

DOLLAR GAINS
ON EXCHANGE

New York, Feb. 19.—The Canadian dollar and the pound sterling advanced fractionally today, as the result of a rise in the gold price.

The dollar was quoted at 87 1/2 cents, 1/2 cent higher than yesterday's close, and sterling at 84 1/2 cents, 1/2 cent higher than yesterday's close.

Both currencies had displayed strong tendencies since the outset of the session.

NEW AUSTRALIAN
INSURANCE RULES

Canberra, Australia, Feb. 19.—All life insurance companies in Australia must deposit \$50,000 in cash or in approved securities with the Commonwealth government within six months, according to a bill given first reading in the House of Representatives today.

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Governor Roosevelt will have an audience with Emperor Hirohito tomorrow and then he, with Mrs. Roosevelt and their daughter, will have an audience with the Empress. After that they will be guests of the Emperor and Empress at lunch.

They were honor guests at a dinner at the embassy to-night at which War Minister and Mrs. Anaki, Count Makino and other Japanese dignitaries were present. They planned to go to Kobe by train Sunday to re-embark for Manila.

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Capt. W. R. (Wop) May, once a war pilot and now recognized as the greatest flier in Canada's north country, saw Johnson as he was glimpsed at last by his police pursuers Wednesday night, as he circled in his plane overhead, saw him shot to death after wildly shooting it out with his foes while he huddled in the snow.

CAUGHT BACK-TRACKING

The Rat River killer was drawing another of his baffling trails when Staff Sergeant E. F. Hersey, leader of the police posse, met him. Johnson was back-tracking, unaware the police were so close, at a bend in the Eagle River, when Johnson attempted to climb the river bank and find shelter in scrub timber. Sergeant Hersey and Staff Sergeant Verville, a trapper with him, opened fire. That ended Johnson's flight. He turned, dropped to the snow and was shot to death. His first shot wounded Sergeant Hersey.

The fugitive moved forward a short distance and met the rest of the police party. Again he dropped to the ground, almost burying himself in the snow, and peppered bullets at the mounties. None took effect.

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Shots scattered around him and several struck him. He rolled over in pain. Then he continued firing back. He was still and a few minutes later police closed in and found him dead, the body riddled by bullet wounds.

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With Suits coming back into vogue Blouses, quite naturally, are in fashion too. Here are some of the newest styles in silk crepe and crepe satin, featuring soft ruffles, new jabots and graceful revers. May be worn outside of skirt or tucked in, as preferred.

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Noteworthy Savings in Children's Coats Suits and Reefers

48 Girls' Tweed

Coats at.....

5.75

Girls' Wool Tweed Coats in smart single-breasted belted styles, in assorted tweeds, and lined throughout. Sizes for 7 to 14 years.

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Growing Girls' Strap Slippers

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Wear a Spring Hat Now!

What a difference the wearing of a new Spring Hat makes—and what a pleasure you will experience in wearing one of these smart new models in particular. We've so many styles for your spring selection—Hats with lots of gayety and dash—Brimmed Hats with new "weave" interest—supple little Turbans, shiny and interesting with ribbon or perky quill accents—the very Hats with which you will want to greet the spring. And such values—

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Mac's Best Tomatoes, more in tin; 3 large tins for.....**25c**
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3 lbs. for.....**72c**
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3 lbs. for.....**81c**
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Empress Jelly Powders, 5 pkts. for.....**23c**
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3 cartons for.....**49c**
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Lux Flakes, 2 pkts. for.....**15c**
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Pot Roast, per lb. **14c**
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Legs, Loins and Fillets, per lb. at.....**15c**
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Side Pork, pickled or fresh, per lb. **12c**
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Legs and Loins, per lb. **26c**
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Announcements

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Ernest Osborne Blide who went to his last sleep February 15, 1932.

Time speeds on three years have passed. Since death's gloom, his shadow cast. Within our hearts, his love still bright. And look from us, a shining light.

We miss that light, and ever will. His vacant place there is none to fill. Down here we mourn, but not in vain. For up in Heaven we will meet again.

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10 COMING EVENTS

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Hall, 8 to 12. Evelyn Holt's orchestra.

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DANCE—SATURDAY, FEB. 20, FOREST-

er Hall, The Pied Piper, 9-12. Ad-

mission 25c. E4125-24

IF FOUR WATCH DOES NOT GIVE SAT-

isfaction, bring it to the Watch Bench.

Main Street, 1114 Broad St.

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house, George, Saturday, February 20,

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11 LOST AND FOUND

BICYCLE BLUE CCM, TAKEN FROM

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return, new boy needs same. Phone G6057.

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17 MISCELLANEOUS

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OBITUARY

There passed away at the family residence, 3002 Scott Street, yesterday evening, John Hardie, aged sixty-five years. Mr. Hardie was born in Brechin, Scotland, and had been a resident of Winnipeg for the last forty-eight years, and an employee of the Canadian Pacific Railway for more than forty years. He is survived by his widow, of this city, a son, Eddie, in Winnipeg, and one sister in Vancouver. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, and will be forwarded to-night to Winnipeg, where interment will be made in the family plot in Elmwood Cemetery.

A large number of friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Rose Crookes which took place yesterday afternoon, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home to St. Stephen's Church, Mount Newton Crossroad, where services were conducted by Rev. Montague Bruce. Interment was made in the churchyard, with the following acting as pallbearers: F. W. Tomlinson, J. P. Mitchell, G. Oldrey, J. Nimmo, L. Beaumont and E. Oakes.

Dr. Frank E. Dorchester Will Broadcast Health Lecture

Speaking from the ballroom of the Hotel Vancouver, Dr. Frank E. Dorchester, quoted as one of the most eminent Nature Cure physicians in America, will broadcast his lecture over a special wave length of 880 kilocycles through CKWX, Vancouver.

He will explain some of the differences in thought between the regular school of medicine and naturecure schools. He will also tell his audience how to keep well, and what causes and cures disease. He was noted twenty years ago as having one of the most extraordinary muscular developments ever seen. His muscular control was uncanny. His experience over thirty or more years includes the study of every known form of healing, from that of physical educator to chiropractic. This public has been very much interested in the drugless question of late. Dr. Dorchester will make things clear to those who are yet somewhat in the dark. The lecture will go on the air at 8.15 o'clock on Tuesday, February 22. No one who is at all interested should miss tuning in on this lecture. 880 kilocycles Tuesday night at 8.15. Those attending the lecture in person will also see a physical exposition.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will gather at luncheon in the chamber at 12.15 o'clock Monday next.

A cyclist was fined \$3 in City Police Court this morning for failing to have a light on his machine.

Permit for the construction of a five-room dwelling at 517 Toronto Street was taken out at the City Hall to-day by R. McRae. The work will cost about \$5,000.

The British Columbia Historical Association will hold a meeting in the Provincial Library this evening at 8 o'clock to hear a paper by Dr. W. N. Sage of the University of B.C. The subject will be "Sir George Simpson and Mr. John McLaughlin."

Floods in the Kootenay district and several places in the southern interior when the spring thaw comes are predicted by engineers of the water rights branch at the Parliament Buildings. Their calculations are based upon the huge snowfall in that area.

A mass meeting of unemployed of Equinault will be held at Memorial Park, Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, under the auspices of the National Unemployed Workers' Association. Speakers from Victoria will discuss relief measures now in force.

Provincial police headquarters have been advised of the finding of a quick, B.C. of the body of Carl Wakefield, a farmer, who had been missing since last Saturday. The body was found in a ditch near the highway. The police are continuing their search for the missing woman.

No information has been received up to this afternoon as to the whereabouts of Mrs. S. N. Reid, Alaskan, who disappeared on Tuesday. Mrs. Reid, about sixty years of age, was last seen Tuesday afternoon walking towards the city. The police are continuing their search for the missing woman.

L. R. Macgregor, Australian Trade Commissioner for Canada, will address the local Rotary Club at its luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel next Thursday. Mr. Macgregor has chosen the subject, "Canadian-Australian Trade," which bears special interest in view of the recent trade treaty and the coming Imperial Conference.

The annual meeting of the B.C. Fox and Fur Farmers' Association Inc. will be held at 8 p.m. on February 24 in the board room of the Vancouver Daily Province. Province Building, Hastings Street, Vancouver. The president, W. Miller Higgs, will preside. A large gathering of fur farmers from all parts is expected.

A dance under the auspices of the Saanich Conservative Association will be held in the Shrine auditorium next Thursday evening. The proceeds to go to the Saanich Welfare Centre in aid of the needy. Tickets can be bought from Mrs. F. F. Osborne, 2034 Poul Road, the general convener. Refreshments will be served.

Victoria Unit of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada has received an invitation from the British Campfire Girls' branch of the Canadian Legion to attend the annual memorial service and commemoration of the Battle of Passchendaele. The affair will be held at the Armories at 2.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Finding of the dugout canoe in which E. J. Himer, eighteen years of age, left the Otter Point relief camp for Sooke Harbor on February 7, confirmed fears that the youth had been drowned when his frail craft was overturned in the straits. The canoe, according to a report from Sooke, was washed ashore about half a mile from Whiffen Spit. Search has been made for the body but without success. Himer came from England last year and was to have been sent back.

PURCHASE OF SIGNS SCORED
Ratepayers' Group Make Protest on Act of Police Commission

To make a formal protest against expenditure of \$8,000 on electric traffic signals for the city at the present time, a delegation from the Victoria Ratepayers' Group met at the City Hall this afternoon.

The executive of the organization met yesterday evening to discuss the decision made by the Board of Police Commissioners Tuesday afternoon. They decided to base the protest on the following grounds:

That it is the consensus of public opinion that such installation is totally unnecessary at this time in view of the comparatively insignificant record at the street corners designed by the police commissioners.

That any expenditure of such a nature at this time of economic stress would be an unjustifiable additional burden on property owners.

That the money proposed to be expended on the equipment would necessarily leave Victoria, whereas all money that is available for civic undertakings should be kept in Victoria to provide work for our citizens.

NO CHANGE IN POLICE FORCE
Prince Rupert Overwhelmingly Endorses Provincial Police Service in Vote Yesterday

According to word received from Prince Rupert, the people of that city are strongly in favor of a contribution of the Provincial Police services there. By a majority of 313 yesterday's plebiscite, the citizens voted in favor of retaining the Provincial Police rather than returning to civic police control. In 1929 a similar plebiscite was put to the people and the majority then was 117.

TELLS VALUE OF TOURISTS

Real Estate Board Hears \$3,000,000 From Visitors May Be Expected

F. Giolma Says Conventions Should Increase Travel This Summer

Victoria could look forward to having about \$3,000,000 in tourist money spent here during the year, Frank Giolma of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, told members of the Real Estate Board at their luncheon to-day.

During his talk he traced the fluctuation of tourist travel here since 1922, showing the peak to have been reached in 1929. He expects to see an increase in the number of visitors to the city over those of last year.

Virtually every person he met inquired as to the tourist prospects for the coming summer. The figures are the realization of the people of the value of the tourist industry. This was substantiated by the words of Premier Bennett and the provincial speech from the Throne.

He pointed out the fact that the greatest increases in motor tourists here were in 1927 and 1928, which were big convention years on the Coast. That, of course, had been assisted by favorable economic conditions.

LOOK FOR INCREASE
If it were not for the depression he would forecast an increase of about 40 per cent over the year of 1931. But even with the conditions working against them, the conventions on the Pacific Coast would greatly increase the travel to this city, he said.

Victoria could look forward with confidence to having nearly \$3,000,000 spent here by visitors from the different conventions in the Pacific Coast states this year, he declared. He paid tribute to the work done by the real estate men in securing improvements in Beacon Hill Park.

At the close of his talk he asked the members to submit names of prospective settlers and visitors to him in order to establish mailing contacts. Sketching the fluctuation in travel, Mr. Giolma stated that in 1922 the number of motor visitors to Victoria was over 6,000. The following year it increased 10 per cent, reaching a peak of 33,000 in 1929.

The following year it dropped 16 per cent and fell off another 4 per cent in 1931, although the tourist travel was here there in other parts of the Pacific northwest.

Speaking of settlers, Mr. Giolma outlined the inquiries the bureau had received during recent years. Lately he had noted far more business-like tone in these inquiries, which showed a greater possibility of having the visitors make Victoria their home.

Following his talk members of the board asked the speaker several questions relative to the tourist business. High tribute to the work done by Mr. Giolma in the field of indirect advertising through his contributions to publications all over the continent, was paid by Alfred Carmichael, in introducing the speaker.

LODGE ELECTS FRANK WILSON
Vancouver Man to Head Orangemen; Nanaimo Next Convention City

Frank Wilson, Vancouver, former junior deputy grand master, was elected to the position of grand master for the ensuing year at the closing sessions of the forty-second annual convention of the grand lodge of British Columbia, held at the Grand Orange Association, in the A.O.P. Hall.

Other officers elected were: Deputy grand master, A. C. Wilde, of Vernon; junior deputy grand master, A. M. McRae, of Nanaimo; grand secretary, Rev. J. C. Goodfellow, of Princeton; grand treasurer, J. E. Carpenter, of Vancouver; grand lecturer, D. Robinson, of Vancouver; grand lecturer, D. Sanborn, of Sumnerland; deputy grand lecturer, J. P. Dickson, of Victoria; deputy grand secretary, O. W. Wakefield, of Vancouver; grand auditors, W. H. Brett, of Vancouver, and Thomas Duke, of Vancouver.

NANAIMO CHOSEN
Nanaimo was chosen as the next convention city during the third week of February.

Commendation of the Orange Lodge for the record in fostering a spirit of national pride in the traditions of the British race was expressed by Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, Premier of the province, representing the delegates of the part played by the schools in building the foundation for a Canadian national spirit. The home should be a place of instruction in the school in this regard, he added.

KEYS OF CITY
Alderman H. O. Litchfield, representing Mayor Leeming, presented the keys of the city to the delegates and endorsed the humanitarian nature of a good deal of the work carried on by the Orangemen.

Following the speeches of welcome, a delegation from the grand lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, in session here, was received. Mrs. Grace Darracott, most worshipful mistress of the grand lodge of British Columbia, extended the greetings of the women's branch to the delegates.

Reports from standing committees took up a good portion of the time of the delegates. The convention was brought to a close with a banquet and dance in the A.P. Hall, attended by about 400 members of the grand lodge.

College Golfers To Meet Uplands Team
Golfers of Victoria College will meet a team from the Uplands at the latter's course to-morrow in two four-ball matches. The first match will be between the Victoria College team and the Uplands team. The second match will be between the Victoria College team and the Uplands team.

HOTEL LOBBY GOSSIP

Stanley Thompson of Toronto, who planned and laid out the famous golf course at Banff and Jasper Park and many other well-known courses in the East, tested out the Olwood course this morning and was favorably impressed with the condition of the greens and fairways.

He drove out to the course shortly after breakfast in company with A. H. Detenish of Winnipeg, assistant general manager of C.P.R. western hotels. Mrs. Thompson remained at the hotel to-day, but expects to take part in the tournament when it opens on Monday next.

Other golfing guests at the Empress Hotel to-day are Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davies of Toronto. Mr. Davies, who is here for the mid-winter tournament, is a retired manufacturer of Toronto, with a penchant for golf.

The weather down east has been remarkably mild this winter, he explained at the hotel this morning. There was not more than four degrees difference between Toronto and Victoria," he said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alexander of Flincher Creek, Alberta, have arrived for the golfing week and are registered at the Empress Hotel.

N. R. Desbriay, Winnipeg, assistant passenger traffic manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived in the city to-day from the east, accompanied by Mrs. Desbriay.

John G. McNab, C.P.R. foreign freight agent at Vancouver, with Mrs. McNab and Miss McNab, also arrived to-day from the mainland.

T. C. Warkman, British Columbia representative of the London Salvage Association, was among the guests registering at the Empress Hotel to-day from Vancouver.

Prominent visitors from Winnipeg at the Empress Hotel to-day are Mr. and Mrs. J. Affick, both enthusiastic golfers. They plan to remain in Victoria for a couple of weeks.

Notes Of The Legislature
Victoria Bill Launched. Fishery Amendments.

Under amendments to the Fisheries Act, introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Hon. S. L. Harte, Commissioner of Fisheries, the government takes power to impose a license on anyone who wants to fish for salmon, freshly taken from the water, under the new federal permit, which leaves the way open for the export of fresh fish.

Other amendments provide for mild curing salmon plants to be placed in the same category as salmon canneries and salmon salting plants. The government takes power to fix licenses for mild curing plants by order-in-council. Licenses of \$1 a year are also scheduled for fish plants, fish oil plants and fish oil plants.

Victoria's private bill was launched on its way in the Legislature yesterday by R. Hayward. Under it the city seeks power to increase its borrowing power to meet the cost of unemployment for a year back and two years to come, so that a heavy increase in the mill rate may be averted.

Questions which usually are awaited with considerable interest when the Legislature opens have not made their appearance on the paper so far this session, but it is understood there will soon be plenty of them.

Who will be the Liquor Board czar? The much-discussed question is reduced from three to one appears to be among burning questions of Conservatives inside and outside the Legislature with the betting on W. F. Kennedy.

BOND ISSUE SOON TAKEN
Books Closed Quickly With \$5,000,000 Oversubscribed, Minister Reports

Hon. J. W. Jones, Minister of Finance, has announced that subscription lists for \$5,000,000 province of British Columbia bonds, which were opened in Toronto and other points in Canada yesterday morning, and within a very few hours the books closed with an oversubscription many times in excess of the offering of \$5,000,000. British Columbia's contribution to the loan exceeded \$1,600,000.

The distribution was general all across Canada, the bonds generally being taken up by small investors, the minister reported. "The offering at 8 1/2 per cent yield to the public is in keeping with prevailing prices of western Canada issues, which can be purchased retail at a yield of 6 1/2 per cent to 7 per cent. Our own sterling bonds of the P.C.E. at 7 per cent and insured by the P.C.E. at 7 1/2 per cent is evidence of the success of the issue."

"In 1918, during a period of depression, not nearly so acute or so universal as that experienced at present, and when currency market conditions were less severe, two sales of provincial issues were made for \$4,000,000; \$1,000,000 costing the province 6.88 per cent, the other \$3,000,000 costing 6.94, or an average of 6.79 per cent. A short time after the Canadian National were forced to put out a loan at 7 per cent interest. To-day, however, the effect in government securities is universal. In 1918 it was more local in character."

"Therefore," the statement concludes, "with the obvious difficulties experienced in general governmental financing, which has been more or less reflected in British Columbia, it is very encouraging to note that British Columbia's securities find such a favorable demand with the investing public throughout Canada."

RAP MORTGAGE MORATORIUMS

Real Estate Board Opposes Move to Declare Holiday in Payment

Strong disapproval of any legislation which would declare a moratorium on the payment of mortgage principals was voiced by members of the Real Estate Board of Victoria at its luncheon in Spencer's dining-room to-day. The meeting decided to draft a resolution of protest, which will be forwarded to the Legislature. A copy will be sent to the Vancouver Real Estate Exchange.

"I think any such legislation would be very dangerous," said A. R. Wolfenden, commenting on the suggested moratorium. "We are just recovering from the effects of the last one."

The passage of such legislation would completely shake the confidence of money lenders. Mr. Wolfenden said. He was supported by B. S. Heintzman, who urged representations be sent to the government protesting any such scheme.

LAYED IN VANCOUVER
It was the general impression at the meeting that the move had been launched by Vancouver interests. There were no cases which really called for such legislation in Victoria, F. B. Pemberton stated.

Although strongly opposed to government action, Alfred Carmichael pointed out that the board had no desire to hasten foreclosures. The declaration of a moratorium would be tantamount to the repudiation of the mortgage contract, another member stated.

Major Cuthbert Holmes said that sufficient authority was given judges to prevent any injustice being done in the case of a foreclosure. The resolution of protest passed unanimously.

PREDICTS BIG TOURIST YEAR

Entire Coast Will Benefit From Olympic Games, Declares Californian

While the Olympic Games and big conventions in California and the other Pacific Coast states may divert some westbound tourists from Victoria and Vancouver Island, the number who will be induced to come up here from the gatherings will more than compensate the city, in the opinion of Lewis H. Clarke, of the Los Angeles Touring Bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California.

Mr. Clarke is here to-day conferring with George I. Warren, publicity commissioner, and members of the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club regarding motor travel matters.

The tourist business generally in California this year will be in excess of any recorded in the previous history of the region, Mr. Clarke stated. In addition to the Olympiad, the conventions will bring thousands into the Pacific states.

Next year in spite of business conditions, the number of motorists visiting California were up approximately 30,000.

MORE INQUIRIES
In view of the fact that the number of prospective eastern visitors seeking information from the organization was represented was increased 100 per cent during last January over that of the corresponding month in 1930, everything pointed for a banner year, he said.

In California, Mr. Clarke continued, efforts are made to direct travel northward in the case of visitors who have returned to the southern state. Annually hundreds are sent into the Puget Sound and British Columbia areas by California agencies.

In addition to determining how best the club could co-operate with the kindred organizations of the Pacific Coast, Mr. Clarke is also checking up on road conditions. So far he has found them very satisfactory.

VICTORIA TO GET ITS FIRST KIOSK
Victoria is to have its first kiosk. It will be modeled along the futuristic lines of those of Paris, Vienna and Budapest, which have been featured in the street life of these cities.

In addition the one here will have modernized features, adapting some innovations introduced in Los Angeles. The kiosk here comes as the first development of the Castle Building property under its new J. D. Pemberton estate management. It will cover the main part of the street entrance to the building on Fort Street and be all glass-enclosed, running up into the second story. The second floor part will be the general storeroom and will be connected with the street level by automatic shutters, down which cigarettes, tobacco, magazines, papers, novelties and books will come to replenish each article as it leaves the glass booth below to go into the hands of a customer. Girls in bath costumes will serve. Plans for the innovation have already been submitted to the building inspector at the City Hall for approval. The number of persons passing up and down Fort Street in the vicinity of The Victoria Daily Times building is reported by investigators to warrant the introduction of the kiosk from the commercial point of view.

COMOX TO HAVE THREE-DAY FAIR
Special to The Times
Courtenay, Feb. 19.—The directors of the Comox Agricultural and Industrial Association have arranged to hold a three day fair this year, commencing on Labor Day, September 6. The holiday will be devoted to horse races and other sports. A strong programme of entertainment will be organized for exhibition.

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Real Estate Board Will Make Proposals Next Week

Alderman John Kerr was yesterday evening appointed by the school board to the trusteeship vacated by the resignation of Trustee M. Plants. Alderman Kerr was a candidate for the school board at the last municipal election and was beaten by thirty votes.

Overnight Entries For New Orleans
First race—Six furlongs: Repproff 108, Burgo 118, Laughing Boy 113, Pro-metheus 118, Kimballing 118, Dana Dunn 108, Tony Joe 118, Squaky 118, Outcry 108, Hippia 113, Sir John K 115.

Second race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Orloff 101, Analyst 108, Stone Kanda 101, Verity-Ballot 109, Donna Dear 107, Bright Knot 114, Charlie Bills 109, Guy Prince 106, Beauty Sees 109, Peal 102, Neil Kuhlman 106, Arroy 102, Princess Nancy 100, Elva 100, Prince Reno 102, Catalan's Idol 100, Metallurgist 105, Worldly Lad 107, Fill in 100, The Whig 107.

Third race—Six furlongs: Tannery 102, Smokey 102, New Hunter 107, Angus 107, Uncommon Gold 109, Abdel 109, Justinian 109.

Fourth race—One mile: Bert John 107, Sander 110, Eschmacha 104, Deffer 107, Crystal Prince 110.

Fifth race—One mile added: Wotan 114, Broad Meadows 105, Spanish Play 120, Defier 98, Silverdale 117, Quatre Bras 114, 94, P. Kishelung 118, Clans-tonbury 105, Playtime 103, Luck, 120, Hyman 102, Surf Board 109, Abdel 101, Bargello 108.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Polywag 105, Beige 92, Sun Martin 108, Englewood 108, Blot 110, What Have You 110.

Seventh race—One mile and a half: Delmonico 111, Calahorra 109, Vanguish 112, Constance Ann 109, Deva 103, P. Polet 109, Gertrude Reade 100, Colonel K 107, Cockrell 104.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Polywag 105, Beige 92, Sun Martin 108, Englewood 108, Blot 110, What Have You 110.

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Appearance of Australian Test Cricketers Here Will Be Notable Event

Playing of Bradman Will Be Closely Watched by Canadian Sportsmen

THE CANADIAN English rugby team which toured Japan, with players from Victoria, Vancouver, Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal, are on the Pacific on route home after one of the most notable foreign invasions ever made by Canadian athletes. Aside from their success in winning five games out of seven there was the impressive fact that they played before more than 100,000 spectators, including one crowd of 25,000 and three of 20,000 each; and further that for a period of three weeks their games were the outstanding sporting attraction in Japan.

In such a concrete empire, with upwards of 70,000,000 people living in an area less than that of any Canadian province west of the Maritimes, the publicity which Canada received through its team was tremendous. The Canadian invasion succeeded beyond general expectations. The English code, with its lightning fast and open play, has made a tremendous appeal to the Japanese and they have been able to develop the game to a high standard.

In Canada the game has suffered from lack of inter-provincial and inter-ministerial competition. It flourishes in British Columbia and the Maritime Provinces, and to a limited extent, in the other provinces. Probably the most notable achievement of the Canadian invasion of Japan was the 21-12 victory over Meiji University. This game was perhaps the greatest in the history of the tour.

The All-Japan fifteen proved the nemesis of the Canadians. This was practically the same team which scored victories in Victoria and Vancouver in 1930. The tourists were greatly weakened by injuries in both their test matches, and suffered on this account throughout the tour. Altogether the Canadians scored 150 points against 82 for the Japanese teams. Their scorers and the points made by them were as follows:

George Niblo, Vancouver, forty-one; Ernest Pinkham, Vancouver, and Campbell Forbes, Victoria, sixteen each; Frank Skilling, Victoria, fifteen; George Warnock, Victoria, nine; Bud Murray, Vancouver, seven; Len Leroy, Vancouver, four; Saunders, Vancouver, and Jerry Boone, Toronto (vice-captain), six each; Eric Cameron, Vancouver, Pete Wilson, Vancouver, Arthur Lunney, Vancouver, Bonnie Gay, Winnipeg, and Sydney Selkirk, Toronto, three each.

Other players mentioned in cable accounts as playing brilliantly were: G. E. Coe, Montreal; C. Batty, Toronto; Johnny Rowland, Victoria; Bart DuTemple, Vancouver; and Jack Bain, Vancouver. The tourists sailed from Japan on February 13 on the S. S. Empress of Asia and are due in Victoria on Monday. They are headed by J. Fyfe Smith, president of the British Rugby Union of Canada.

Announcement yesterday that an Australian cricket team, the personnel of which will include Don Bradman and seven more test match players, is to play in Victoria in June has created quite a stir in this city. No event of such import to cricketers and sportsmen could be suddenly announced without stirring a thrill. The meteoric rise of young Bradman in playing cricket has caused much interest.

It is interesting to recall that the Australian team last visited the Dominion in 1912. Austin Diamond, who, as in the case of Arthur Mailey and Don Bradman, also hailed from New South Wales, acted as skipper of the team during the three months' tour of Canada, U.S. and Bermuda. The Australian team which will tour Canada this summer, including as it does many of the players responsible for regaining the custody of the Ashes will, of course, not be called upon to face very formidable opposition. The tour will be one to give residents of this continent an opportunity of seeing cricket played by masters.

Second Round Of Cup Golf Sunday

The second round of the Maynard Cup competition will be played at the George Vale Golf Club on Sunday.

The draw follows:

9.00 a.m.—J. Matthews vs. D. W. Spence.

9.10 a.m.—H. Reid vs. B. Gwynne.

9.20 a.m.—L. Col. A. F. M. Slater vs. D. W. Morry.

9.25 a.m.—Hap Gandy vs. R. W. Watson.

9.30 a.m.—V. M. Gallon vs. G. Bevan.

9.35 a.m.—D. A. Matthews vs. R. Peden.

9.40 a.m.—C. F. Banfield vs. J. Bennett.

Both Squads Using New Men For Match Miracles of Sport

Phil Willis to Manage Mainlanders in Attack Against Victoria Squad; Chris Usher and Robin Dunsmuir, Wanderers, and "Buzz" Brown, Bays, Playing First Games for Capitals; Intermediate Curtain Raiser Between Brentwood and University

Both Victoria and Vancouver "rep" squads will include a good percentage of new faces when they clash at the Royal Athletic Park in the second McKechnie Cup game of the season here to-morrow afternoon. Each squad will be suffering the loss of several of the old stand-bys who left British Columbia to help the All-Canadians score their victories in Japan. In addition Victoria will be deprived of some of its stars through injuries in league games here last week.

HOOP TEAMS WILL TRAVEL

Green Mill and West Road Play at Duncan To-night in Island Title Series

Return Games Here Wednesday; Commercial Meet Nanaimo Next Week

Seeking Vancouver Island basketball championships, Green Mill and West Road, winners of Victoria senior "C" and senior "B" championships, respectively, will travel to Duncan this evening to engage the mid-island clubs in the opening games of a home and home series. The second games of the series, total points to count, will be played at the Victoria High School gym Wednesday evening. After going through the local league undefeated, West Road are heavy favorites to turn back the Duncan threat. They have been doing up a fine brand of basketball this season and are picked to lift the island crown.

After winning a hard-fought series with Kestling, for the lower island title, the Green Mill will make a determined effort to eliminate Duncan and reach the Island final.

Of the local senior "A" championship, will travel to Nanaimo to meet the Coal City five in the first of a home and home series, total points to count for the island title. The winner will represent the island in the B.C. final against the mainland champions.

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The casualties in the ranks of the Vancouverites, leaders in the series, are expected to bring the squads to a more even basis for the match, which should be a battle from start to finish.

The respective line-ups for the two teams follow:

Vancouver — Fullback, Hopkinson; three-quarters, Richardson, E. Pinkham, Rosborough, and Rose; five-eighths, Estabrook; half, M. Clarke; forwards, McDermott, C. White, Ingles, Marston, B. Ledingham, O. White, Ward and McKeddie; spare, Quitermaine. Victoria — Fullback, Ruddy; three-quarters, (Fifth Brigade); three-quarters, Lynn Patrick (Victoria College), Harold Engleson (Fifth Brigade), Rex Wenman (Canadian Scottish), Bob Mabee (Victoria College); five eighths, "Buzz" Brown (J.B.A.A.); half-back, Symons (Oak Bay Wanderers); forwards, Donald (Navy, captain), Sweetman (Navy), Bruce Forbes (Canadian Scottish), Dunsmuir (Oak Bay Wanderers), R. Engleson (Fifth Brigade), Chris Usher (Oak Bay Wanderers), Jack Dunn (J.B.A.A.); reserve back, Latta (J.B.A.A.).

Next week the Commercial, winners of the Victoria senior "C" and senior "B" championships, respectively, will travel to Duncan this evening to engage the mid-island clubs in the opening games of a home and home series. The second games of the series, total points to count, will be played at the Victoria High School gym Wednesday evening. After going through the local league undefeated, West Road are heavy favorites to turn back the Duncan threat. They have been doing up a fine brand of basketball this season and are picked to lift the island crown.

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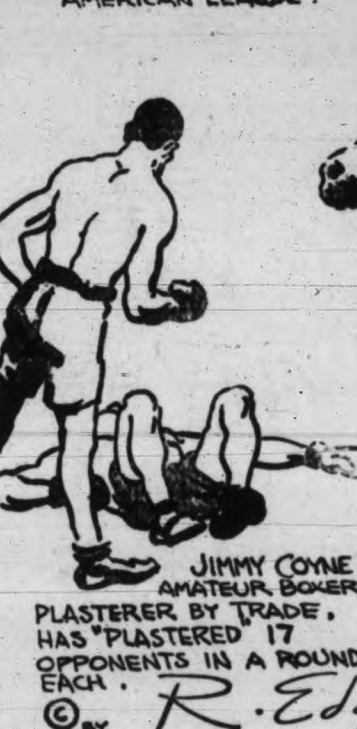
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Miracles of Sport

BABE RUTH

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JIMMY CONYNE, N.Y., AMATEUR BOXER, HAS "PLASTERED" 17 OPPONENTS IN A ROUND EACH.

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HOCKEY

JIMMY THOMPSON



MARTIN BURKE

PEPPERED AROUND IN THE BIG LEAGUE HE HAS BECOME THE MAINSTAY OF THE WORLD'S CHAMPION

Martin Burke, the Irish boy who has been going such great guns on the rearward of the Montreal Canadiens and the New York Rangers, is a pretty impressive figure. What is more, they were born on the same day of the same year, January 27, 1905. That makes them twenty-seven, doesn't it? Anyhow, Burke, who hails from Toronto, never showed to his best advantage before lining up with Canadians. He was peddled about, as a matter of fact, in several big-league cities, and I think the Canadian officials will confess that when he joined them there was no great excitement around the Windsor, Montreal headquarters of the world champions. But right now he is one of the prime stars of the club and I don't suppose you could pry him away for love or money.

Four ten-round matches comprise the card and none seems clearly entitled to the feature "spot." The final bout will bring together Young, middleweight, and Chick Hyatt, Vancouver.

Eddie Ran, Poland, and Billy Townsend, Vancouver, welterweights, square off in another ten-rounder. Their common denominator is Billy Petrolle, who knocked out both of them in recent engagements.

Low Feldman, New York, clashes with the game and rugged Italian, Kid Francis, in still another ten-rounder.

The fourth match pits Eddie (Kid) Wolfe, Memphis, against Baby Joe James, California, negro, who now makes his home in New York.

Carl Voss, flashy centre, provided Bisons' scoring punch in the first period by hanging up a pair of goals, while in the final frame Gomer Lederman added a third Buffalo tally.

The lone Cleveland goal came from the stick of Andy Belenier early in the second period. Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets moved into fifth place and Syracuse dropped into the league cellar when the Smoke Eaters scored their first victory of the season over Detroit Olympia, 3 to 1.

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New York Rangers, In Bad Slump, Drop Hard Game To Leafs

American Section Leaders of National Hockey League Beaten 5 to 3 at Toronto; Teams Put on Scoring Bee in Third Period; Rangers Drop Five in a Row; Montreal Maroons Strengthen Hold on Third Place by 3 to 1 Win Over Americans; Boston and Detroit Draw

Toronto, Feb. 19.—Unbeatable during the early weeks of the campaign, the strain of the National Hockey League home stretch drive is having telling effect on the ranks of New York Rangers. In their last five starts the Patrick squad have failed to record a single victory against a Canadian division opposition.

Yesterday evening Toronto Maple Leafs handed the New Yorkers a 5 to 3 reverse to jump back into a tie for the Canadian division leadership with Montreal Canadiens.

Montreal Maroons marched to a 3 to 1 triumph over Americans to strengthen their hold on third place, and the only other feature on the night's programme resulted in a scoreless draw between Detroit and Boston, and left Falcons, Bruins and Black Hawks in a three-cornered tie for second place in the American division.

SCORING THREE

Leafs and Rangers put on a scoring bee in the final twenty-seven minutes of play and ran in eight goals. Grabbing a two-goal lead late in the second period as a pair of scores by Harvey Jackson, Leafs matched the pace of Rangers in the final session as each scored three times.

Paul Haynes, recently brought from Windsor Bulldogs of the International League, got his first goal in the National League when he put Maroons a goal up early in the initial stanza. Joe Lamb soon secured an equalizer for Americans, but after the second period got underway it was all Maroons. "Baldy" Northcott drifted through the New York defence in the second and third periods, and on each trip sent Jimmy Ward's passes into Amerks' goal.

Toronto, Feb. 19.—Guided for a day from leadership of the National Hockey League Canadian section, Toronto Maple Leafs stepped back to the fore yesterday evening. The speediest start since the return of a first-place tie with Montreal Canadiens when they defeated New York Rangers, 5 to 3.

A flashing dash sent the Leafs ahead in the middle of the second period after a draw, scores first session. By the end of the period Leafs led 2 to 0 and even the Rangers' third-period rally of three goals was matched by the goal-getting Toronto crew.

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Dempsey's Dream of Regaining Title Is Popped By Kingfish

Former Heavyweight Champion Receives Good Mauling at Hands of Levinsky in Four-round Bout at Chicago; Slugging Jewish Scrapper Takes Everything Dempsey Has and Comes Back With Punishing Attack; Fight Draws Gate of \$74,199.95

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Jack Dempsey's promised land, in which he had visioned another chance at the heavyweight championship of the world, to-day seemed to have been only a mirage.

Yesterday evening in the Chicago Stadium, before a record-smashing crowd of 23,322 spectators who left \$74,199.95 at the gates, Dempsey, in the opinion of a big majority of newspapermen and about the same percentage of the customers, took a beating from King Levinsky, the socking Jewish boy from Chicago's ghetto.

The bout was billed as an exhibition and there was no official decision. A poll of writers at the ringside, however, gave Levinsky eighteen votes, two for Dempsey and four called it a draw. The ovation the grinning Kingfish received as he left the ring indicated that the crowd felt the same way about it.

Giving away six and one-half pounds and nearly sixteen years, Dempsey was the same scuffling, glowering Dempsey who knocked out Jess Willard, Georges Carpentier and Luis Firpo—until he went into action. He came on weaving and bobbing, and Levinsky, who radiated confidence from the time he climbed into the ring, met him, took everything the former champion had to offer, and, as seemed, gave back just a little bit more.

DEMPSEY WEAKENS

Dempsey had plenty on his vicious belts to the body in the first two rounds and the cocky King took a few and then held on. Starting with the third round, Dempsey was less than a shadow. The punches that used to lay opponents low, and Levinsky cut loose and hammered both hands to Dempsey's head and body, and built up the margin that convinced writers and spectators. Dempsey showed distinct signs of wear after the first round when he stalked to his corner. After the other three rounds the stake became a shuffler. Levinsky, strong of leg and in no way awed by the former champion, even went so far in the fourth as to stop almost contemptuously as Dempsey came out of his corner, looking weary and opening and beckoned the Manassa man to come on and fight—just as Dempsey had urged Gene Tunney to come on and fight in that upstart seventh round at Soldier Field in 1927.

Regardless of whether he can ever reach the point of engaging in a real battle, Dempsey demonstrated he is still a champion at the box office. The crowd was the greatest ever to watch an indoor fight, and the gate was gratifying to the stadium corporation and the boxers. Dempsey and the Jew took in \$74,199.95, or he might take forty-five per cent and leave the Kingfish fifteen per cent.

SAYS KINGFISH GOOD

Dempsey's only comment was: "He's a good boy and a dangerous puncher, more cocky than ever, said: 'Aw, he ain't so hot, but he can still punch. His left hook is good. But the King can take them.'"

Box Lacrosse Will Be Introduced To British Columbia

Indoor Variety Is Endorsed By Heads Of Provincial Body

B.C. Section of Canadian Amateur Lacrosse League Decides to Allow Teams to Play Game as Introduced in Eastern Canada; Seven Men to a Team; Move to Put Mann Cup Up for Dominion-wide Competition by Box Teams; Jim McConachie Is New President

Vancouver, Feb. 19.—Box-lacrosse, as played in eastern Canada, will be introduced to British Columbia this summer, it was decided at the annual meeting of the provincial section of the Canadian Amateur Lacrosse Association here yesterday evening. Each team has the option of playing the game if they wish. The box variety of lacrosse is played with seven men to a side lining up in positions similar to hockey of ten years ago, with the rover behind the centre at the face-off.

THISTLES TO MEET JOKERS

Clash in Feature Senior Football Match To-morrow at Beacon Hill

Westies Will Tackle Victoria City; Junior Teams Play in Cup Fixtures

Two First Division football matches will be played to-morrow afternoon with Saanich Thistles, one of the two undefeated teams in the second half, opposing Jokers at the lower Beacon Hill ground, and Victoria City and Victoria West, joint occupants of the cellar position, playing at Haywood Avenue. The games will commence at 3:45 o'clock. Equilibrium, undefeated leaders of the group, will be idle.

The Thistles will field their strongest line-up against the Jokers, as the Saanich club can draw even with Esquimalt with a victory. Should the Jokers win they will create a tie between themselves and the Thistles for second place. In their last match the Jokers were defeated by Esquimalt 4 to 3 after a good match. The Thistles have been idle for a month but are in good condition.

The City and Westies will be battling to get out of last place. The former have lost three games in the second half, while the Westies have dropped two. The Westies' team for to-morrow follows: Bland, A. Wright, Harrow, Dolg, Peden, Stewart, Younion, Stevens, Borde, Peers and Mulcahy. Reserves, Shanks and Robertson. Front—One Man—A.

Racing Will Resume Sunday at Caliente

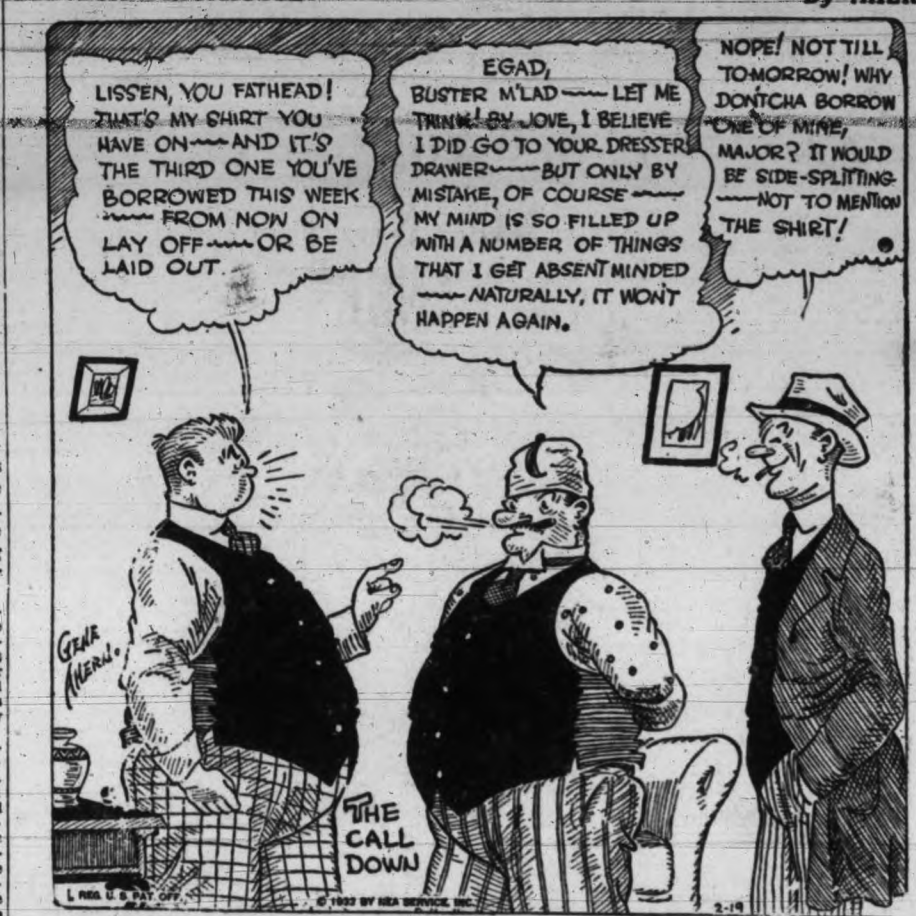
Agua Caliente, Mexico, Feb. 19.—The Agua Caliente race track, closed because of rains Tuesday, will not reopen until Sunday, February 21. The "Tia Juana River bridge, rickety wooden affair, which provides the only automobile communication between the border and Agua Caliente and Tia Juana, was damaged by floods and will not be open to traffic before late Saturday.

MONEY ORDERS
Washington, Feb. 19.—The Post-office Department yesterday warned recipients of Canadian money orders not to allow them to be discounted by banks and commercial concerns in this country. The Canadian dollar is worth eighty-six cents in United States money, but under a postal agreement the Canadian sender must deposit \$1.14 in Canadian money for every United States dollar the payee is to receive.

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VALCOFF WILL APPEAR AGAIN

San Francisco Heavyweight Wrestler Meets Dick Raines Here To-morrow

To-morrow evening's wrestling card at the Tiliacum gym will bring together Nick Valcoff, San Francisco heavyweight, and Dick Raines, Texas, in the scheduled eight-minute round main event. The five eight-minute round semi-windup will bring together "Rocky" Brooks and Cliff White, Denver, in a return bout. The first bout will start at 8:45 o'clock.

Last week Valcoff appeared here in a bout with Tiger Daula and put up a good showing against the big Hindu. He is a big fellow and is a veteran at the game. Raines will be making his first appearance here.

Two weeks ago Brooks took two out of three falls from White in a good bout.

Vancouver, Feb. 19.—Howard Cantonwine, Iowa, took two out of three falls to defeat Axel Anderson, Seattle, in a main event wrestling bout here yesterday evening.

Anderson took the first fall shortly after the initial round opened with a stepover toehold.

Cantonwine came back to even things in the third with a body slam, and the deciding fall in the fourth with a series of body slams.

In the semi-wind-up Abe Kaplan, New York, took a fall from Dick Raines, Texas, in the fourth round with a series of body slams and a body press, and was conceded the match when Raines was unable to answer the bell for the fifth round.

Jimmy Bond, Portland, took a fall from Young Hachenschmidt, San Francisco, to win the curtain-raiser. Bond's fall came in the second round with a double elbow and body slam. Hachenschmidt being unable to continue.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Mrs. L. Thomson and Miss G. Guy won from Miss Macdonald and Miss H. Henderon, 15-13.
Miss Stuart and Miss Woodward won from Miss Pearson and Miss Williams, 15-13.
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C. Douglas and L. Thomson lost to D. Fish and G. Macdonald, 10-13.
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MIXED DOUBLES
Miss Guy and C. Douglas won from Miss Macdonald and D. Fish, 15-12.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomson won from Miss Henderon and Macdonald, 15-12.
Miss Stuart and K. Thomson won from Miss Woodward and Henderon, 15-11.

BOWLING

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE
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"B" SECTION
Golden West Bakery—E. Stock 504, A. Kinsinger 297, J. Bowcott 419, E. Hanbury 485, total 2,005.
Golden West Bakery won two.

"C" SECTION
R.C. Electric—A. White 487, J. Casey 470, R. Doherty 487, W. Mowat 480, R. Deane 475, total 2,359.
R.C. Electric had a bye and take three.

"D" SECTION
Olympic Juniors—F. Welch 473, A. Loe 495, R. Doherty 487, T. Cough 477, W. Henderon 485, total 2,359.
Olympic Juniors won two.

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Kent's Radio—J. King 462, S. Blackburn 470, D. Leach 470, H. Bennett 485, R. Willie 575, total 2,092.
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NEW YORK RANGERS, IN BAD SLUMP, DROP HARD GAME TO LEAFS

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Bonds Moderately Higher With Firm Undertone At Close

New York, Feb. 19.—Bond prices moved in a narrow range to-day, although the undertone was firm throughout.

United States government issues, after a number had again registered new highs for the week, were

There was somewhat of a better feeling toward the railroad section and high grade carrier loans were moderately higher. Pennsylvania General $\frac{1}{8}$ s were up one point and lesser gains

FIR EXPORTS RISE, BUT PRICE LOWER

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 19.—Export of Douglas fir planks and boards in January increased by about 3,000,000 feet compared with January, 1931, according to report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Douglas fir square timber export also increased, the quantity last month rising 9,003,000 feet, valued at \$115,484.

compared with 4,550.00 feet in January, 1931, at \$82.93. Japan purchased about two-thirds of the square timber, but the planks and boards went in the following order to United States, Great Britain, China, Japan, British South Africa, Australia, Portuguese Africa, persons.

The new corporation tax provides for a graduated scale of payments by banks in the province, up to a maximum of \$3,000, with a minimum of \$200 for all branches other than city and town.

A proposal is made for an increase in the gasoline tax of one cent a gallon.

In general the export of lumber in January totaled about 179,689,000 feet valued at \$1,292,556 compared with 187,234,000 feet at \$1,601,615 in January, 1931.

\$135,164,110

New York, Feb. 1.—Thomas Fortune Ryan, financier, left an estate valued as of the date of his death, November 23, 1928, at \$135,164,110.54 net, a transfer tax appraisal filed to-day disclosed. The gross estate was valued at \$141,824,497.

The bulk of the estate was left to

The budget speech, long awaited since the present session of the House opened, reviewed economic conditions obtaining throughout the world to-day and the effects of the depression in Saskatchewan.

EXCHANGE PROBLEM

Ryan's son, Allan A., with whom the elder Ryan was reported to have roomed, received only his father's white pearl shirt studs, valued at \$14.150.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

Vancouver, Feb. 19.—Futures quotations:

Wheat	Open	Close
March	83½ 64	84½ 65
May	84½ 65	84½ 65
Cash:		
1 hard	63½	64½

3 northern	69 1/2	58 1/2
3 northern	37 1/2	35 1/2
3 wheat	55 1/2	53 1/2
3 wheat	53 1/2	51 1/2
6 wheat	50 1/2	48 1/2
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NEW YORK SUGAR

LONDON METALS AND FUNDS

London, Feb. 12.—Standard copper and

New York, Feb. 1.—Raw sugar was quieter day-to-day, and although no sales were reported there were offerings at 2.97 for spots, with refiners showing no interest. The refined market was unchanged at 15 for fine granulated, with a moderate and-to-mouth inquiry reported.

£38 10s: futures, £38 2s 6d; electrolytic spot, £41; futures, £42.
Tin spot, £140 10s; futures, £143 5s.
Lead spot, £116 17s 6d; futures, £116 10s.
Zinc spot, £114 5s; futures, £12s 6d.
Money, 2 1/4%. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 1/4-4 1/4%; three months, 4 1/4-5%.

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A Year to Think It Over **Dorothy Dix** Applauds Spain's Divorce Idea Mr. And Mrs.— **The Best and Wisest Divorce Law to Date Is The Proposed Spanish One of Mutual Consent, Wherein Both Parties Must Remain of the Same Mind for Over a Year, Declares Dorothy Dix**

ACCORDING to report, Spain is contemplating enacting a law providing for divorce by mutual consent without specification of cause or either party having to prove that the other is guilty of some heinous crime. Only—and here is the beneficent match in what looks like an easy divorce proceeding that out-Reno-Reno—the discordant husband and wife have to appear three times before the judge at intervals of six months and reiterate that they still have a mad on each other, as the children say, and still desire a decree absolute.



It seems to me that this is the best and wisest divorce law that has ever yet been suggested. To begin with, there can be no better reason for a couple getting a divorce, than the fact that they love has turned to hate, that they have found themselves utterly unsuited and unbecoming to each other and that they cannot live together in peace and harmony. There are plenty of perfectly good men and women who make each other miserable and kill all the sweetness in life for each other because they have blundered into marrying the wrong mates, yet who would make ideal husbands and wives for other women and men.

Certainly no purpose of morality is conserved by forcing people to live together who keep each other irritated to the point of madness all the time and who bring out everything that is bitter and bad in each other's characters. Nor is there any merit in the contention that a husband and wife should continue to live together no matter how much they have come to dislike each other nor how badly they get along together for the sake of the children.

For we have had sense enough at last to realize that nothing else is so bad for a child mentally and physically as to be brought up in an atmosphere of strife and that no home at all is better than a home in which the parents are in a perpetual fight with each other and in which their poor offspring have their nerves and emotions torn to tatters.

And certainly the law never seems more of an ass than when it refuses a divorce because both parties want one and grants a divorce when one party wants to sever the marriage bond and the other party is broken-hearted over it.

Also it is a monstrous and unthinkable thing that in a divorce case all of the dirty family linen should be washed in public and that a man and woman, who once loved each other and who have lived together in the intimacy of marriage, should not be able to separate, when they come to the parting of the ways, in decency like a lady and gentleman, without being forced to blacken each other's names and sweep away whatever respect their children might have for them.

So this new law that grants a divorce without scandal and without criminal accusations, to a discordant married couple just because they both wish it is a wise one, but it is wiser still in that it does not give them a decree absolute at once, but makes them wait over a year for it.

That gives them time to think it over. It gives them time to look into their own hearts and see if the old love is really dead or if it is only numbed by the hating and hating it has received. It gives them time to cool off their anger and consider their wrongs dispassionately. Above all, it gives them a perspective on their own faults and each other's virtues that they did not have when living at too close range.

Half of the trouble between married couples is caused by their being fed up on each other and with domesticity. They get bored to extinction and they get that tied-down feeling. That is what sets men to philandering and women to nagging and dwelling on their husband's faults and shortcomings until they feel that they cannot stand them another moment.

And it is then that they begin to think of divorce as a sort of Elysium in which all of their troubles will drop from them and leave them young and beautiful and gay and light-hearted once more. The man thinks he will be a free boy again with no responsibilities and money in his pocket to spend on his own pleasures instead of it having to go for household bills.

The woman thinks she will be a girl again, the petted darling of her family, with beaux and dates, and everything will be just as it was when she was eighteen.

But, alas, when a man and woman rush to the divorce court in haste they find out that there is no magic in the decree that has restored them their youth or brought them happiness.

The man discovers that there is no fun in roaming when nobody cares whether he ever comes back or not and that other women are no easier to get along with than his wife was. The woman discovers that when she takes the children and goes back home her welcome is a cold one. Both find themselves misfits in society. They miss their home. They miss each other. The children miss their father or mother and conscience and common sense remind them that they have acted like fools or knaves.

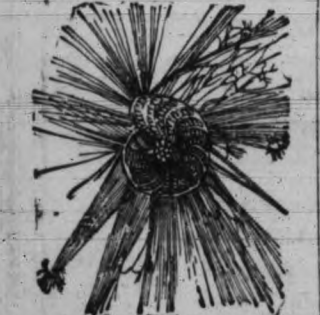
And so, in thousands of cases, if husbands and wives had to take a year to think over a divorce there would be none. They would kiss and make up and live happily ever after. DOROTHY DIX.

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Uncle Ray's Corner

Wonders in Common Things

V-CHALK
When a pupil goes to the blackboard, he may be thinking of how he will do a sum in arithmetic or how he will answer a question in some other subject; but he is not likely to think of the chalk he will use to form words or numbers. Yet the chalk he takes in his hand is a wonderful thing.



Scientists tell us that chalk was made under water hundreds of thousands of years ago. Even at the present time, the earth around us is rising or falling. We do not notice it in a lifetime. The rise or fall may be less than an inch in a hundred years; but careful study has proved that this sort of thing is going on. The remains of sea animals have been left amid rock on mountain tops. Vase ages ago, those mountain tops must have been under water. In ocean waters to-day are tiny animals with shells so small that a person can hardly see them without the help of a microscope. Study of chalk in chalk cliffs has proved that the chalk is made up chiefly of the shells of tiny animals like those found in the sea to-day.

Put the story together, and we find millions—even billions—of these tiny animals living and dying in the ocean waters, each one leaving his shell behind. We may fancy that we can see the tiny species of shells falling to the bottom of the sea. A single snowflake is not large; but put millions of snowflakes together and the ground may be thickly covered with a thick layer of shells. Here and there over the earth, the sea bottom rose. The last time I was in England, I looked with interest on the great chalk cliffs which border the English Channel. There was a time when that chalk was under water. Now it is high and dry. In a piece of chalk two inches long, it is estimated that there are the shells of more than 100,000 of these tiny animals.

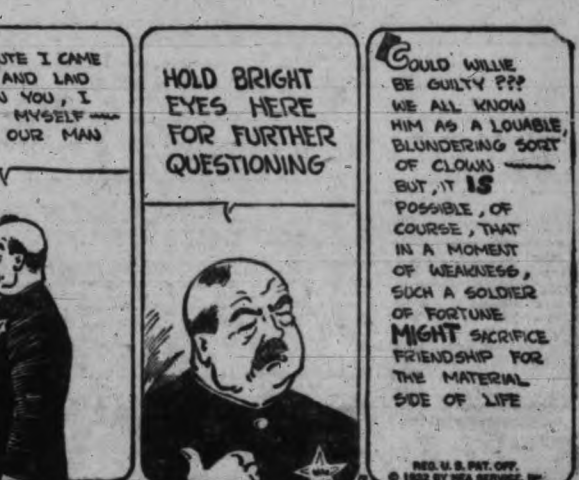
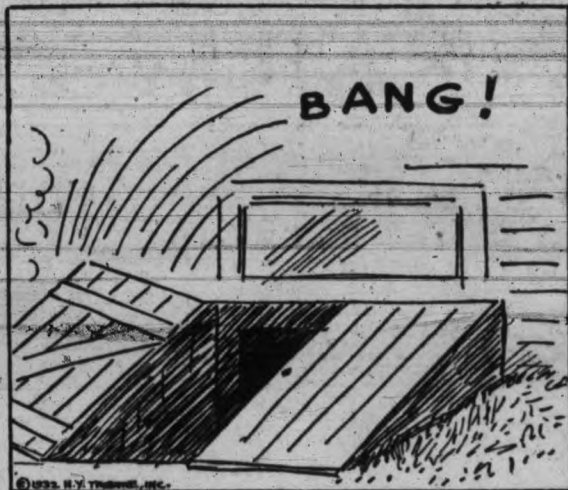
Chalk is a form of soft limestone. Other kinds of limestone were made in much the same way; but chalk is the kind which will leave white marks on a blackboard.

This may be placed in "Science" section of your scrapbook.
To-morrow—A Little Saturday Talk.

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SHIPPING, RAILWAY AND AVIATION NEWS

Cocos Island Party Will Sail To-morrow

CRUISE LINER NOW IN CHINA

Ss. Empress of Britain at Chinwangtao While Passengers Visit Peiping

Will Arrive at San Francisco March 20 and Then Proceed on Last Lap of Cruise

Chinwangtao, Feb. 19.—Passing by Shanghai, because of the trouble there, the Canadian Pacific liner, Empress of Britain, arrived here yesterday afternoon and will remain until next Tuesday evening when she will proceed to Peiping, on the famous Inland Sea of Japan. She came here direct from Hongkong and kept well off the mouth of the Wusung River.

The five-day stop is being given here to enable the passengers to see something of interior China. Shortly after the ship docked yesterday more than 100 of the passengers left by special train for Peiping.

The week-end will be spent by the tourists in Peiping. They will see the Summer Palace, the Forbidden City, the Temple of Confucius, the Hall of Classics and the Drum and Bell Towers.

Monday will be spent inspecting the Great Wall of China. Airplane trips over the Great Wall are the style now and owners of planes have been preparing for the influx of tourists from the Empress of Britain.

After visiting in Japan, the Empress of Britain is scheduled to sail from Yokohama on March 6 for Honolulu and San Francisco. She will reach the Golden Gate port on March 20 and after two days there proceed to Los Angeles and the Panama Canal en route to New York. After a call at Havana on April 5 the liner will reach New York, from where she sailed early in December, on April 8. After two days there she will continue to Southampton and then enter regular transatlantic service for the summer months. She is scheduled to take her first sailing from Quebec to Southampton May 29.

Sunrise and Sunset

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
19	7:14	5:39
20	7:13	5:40
21	7:12	5:41
22	7:11	5:42
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6	6:57	5:56
7	6:56	5:57

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Northeast-Head Down			Southeast-Head Up
1.40 p.m.	8.00 p.m. LV.....	NANAIMO	1.00 p.m.
1.50 p.m.	8.10 p.m.	Wesley	1.10 p.m.
2.00 p.m.	8.20 p.m.	Lantzville	1.20 p.m.
2.10 p.m.	8.30 p.m.	Straits Lf. Co.	1.30 p.m.
2.20 p.m.	8.40 p.m.	Crail	1.40 p.m.
2.30 p.m.	8.50 p.m.	Parkville	1.50 p.m.
2.40 p.m.	9.00 p.m.	Qualicum Beach	2.00 p.m.
2.50 p.m.	9.10 p.m.	Darwood	2.10 p.m.
3.00 p.m.	9.20 p.m.	Salmon	2.20 p.m.
3.10 p.m.	9.35 p.m.	Bowser	2.35 p.m.
3.20 p.m.	9.45 p.m.	Deep	2.45 p.m.
3.30 p.m.	9.55 p.m.	Fanny Bay	2.55 p.m.
3.40 p.m.	10.05 p.m.	Boothby	3.05 p.m.
3.50 p.m.	10.15 p.m.	Royston	3.15 p.m.
4.00 p.m.	10.25 p.m.	Courtenay	3.25 p.m.
4.10 p.m.	10.35 p.m.	CUMBERLAND	3.35 p.m.
4.20 p.m.	10.45 p.m.	Merrill	3.45 p.m.
4.30 p.m.	10.55 p.m.	Crestview	3.55 p.m.
4.40 p.m.	11.05 p.m.	Campbell River	4.05 p.m.
4.50 p.m.	11.15 p.m.		